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STATE NEEDS CITIZENS' AID

SPEAKER TELLS OF ADVANTAGES OF MISSOURI.

SUPPORT HOME TOWN

"Spend Money Where You Make It," Is Philosophy of James McQueeny —C. of C. Report Given

Pointing out the natural advantages of Missouri and calling attention to its great variety of products, James McQueeny, manager of the Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., of Kansas City, and former president of the Chamber of commerce of that city, last night pleaded for co-operation of all Missourians in his address at the annual banquet of the members of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce.

The completion of the good roads system will unite the citizens of Missouri as never before, Mr. McQueeny said, and will promote a general understanding among its people.

About 135 persons were present at the annual dinner and program, given at the First M. E. Church. On account of the bad weather, a number of those intending to be present were unable to attend. The presidents and secretaries of all the commercial organizations in the county were invited, but on account of the roads, they could not be present for the annual event.

Dr. Jesse Miller, retiring president of the Chamber of Commerce, presided at the meeting last night. Bernhardt Bronson of the Conservatory of Music sang two solos and Miss Helen Dvorak, also of the Conservatory, played several violin selections. Both artists were accompanied by Thomas H. Annett. An orchestra, under the direction of H. O. Hickernell, furnished other musical numbers.

Annual Report Given.

The annual report of the activities of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce was read by D. A. Caldwell, secretary, and is also published elsewhere in this issue of the Democrat-Forum and Tribune.

W. J. Montgomery, C. J. Alderman and Clun Price were chosen as members of the board of directors for terms of three years. They will succeed Dr. Jesse Miller, L. H. Evans and L. M. Eek.

In discussing Chamber of Commerce work, Mr. McQueeny said that this organization should sponsor all community enterprises. But to accomplish any kind of a constructive program, it must have the whole-hearted support of all citizens, he added.

Should Support Home Town.

"Support should be given first of all to the city in which you make your living," the Kansas Citian made it clear. "Buy everything you can in your 'old home town'."

The speaker then discussed various movements in Missouri, such as the inland waterways project, Missouri Association for Criminal Justice, reduction of fire losses, law enforcement, etc. All of these need the support of the citizens, Mr. McQueeny concluded.

Dr. A. E. Winship to Speak at Assembly

"Dean of American Educators," Now in Maryville, to Speak at State Teachers College Tomorrow.

Dr. A. E. Winship, dean of American educators, is in Maryville and will speak at an assembly at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the State Teachers College. Dr. Winship will be guest of honor at a faculty luncheon at noon tomorrow at the College Residence Hall.

He is one of the nation's foremost authorities on education, and his greatest endeavors have been in the rural field. Several years ago, Dr. Winship was here and spoke at a community gathering, sponsored by the Rural Club of the College at the Garrett Demonstration School. At this time he paid a tribute to the work done in rural education by A. H. Cooper, then Nodaway County superintendent of schools.

Dr. Winship has been classed as a sort of educational missionary, since he spends most of his time visiting various schools and school systems over the country. He is editor of the New England Journal of Education and his home is in Boston

Dr. Winship arrived in Maryville at noon today. He was the guest of Homer T. Phillips and Charles R. Gardner at lunch today. While here he will make several school visits.

Court Will Take Up Building Plans

Will Meet Tomorrow to Get the Plans In Shape for the New County Infirmary.

The county court at their meeting to be held tomorrow will confer with H. E. Wagenknecht, architect, of St. Joseph, regarding plans for the new county infirmary to be built. The court intends to start work as soon as possible on the new building.

E. R. Leaventon of a construction company of Lincoln was conferring with the county court today about the building of the infirmary.

Work has started on tearing down the walls of the old infirmary which was recently destroyed by fire. The bricks in the walls are being cleaned and saved to be used in the new building.

LOCAL SCHOOL LEVY CARRIED

91 VOTES ARE CAST IN FAVOR AND 17 AGAINST

DIRECTORS REELECTED

E. E. Williams and L. E. Forsyth Each Receive 107 Votes—Balloting Lightest in Years

The levy for maintaining the public schools in Maryville carried at yesterday's election by a vote of 91 for to 17 against. E. E. Williams and L. E. Forsyth, for school directors, received 107 votes each. There was a total of 108 votes cast. One voter voted against the school levey as well as the two candidates for school directors but failed to write in the names of his candidates.

The school board will meet Saturday evening for the purpose of casting up the returns of the election and perfecting its organization.

Yesterday's school election received less interest and fewer votes than any held here in many years.

Board Rescinds Hike in Town Valuation

City Board of Equalization Make Several Raises In Their Session Today.

The county board of equalization has rescinded their action of a blanket increase of 5 per cent in the valuation of all town property in Nodaway County which was announced in yesterday's issue.

The court with Mayor W. O. Garrett, George H. Meek, city assessor, were in session today equalizing valuations in Maryville. The following were the proceedings of the board at a late hour this afternoon:

James B. Robinson on buildings at Third and Main, increased, $2,000; Walter Mutz on building at Third and Main, reduced $2,000; Mary A. Phares on building increased $500; A. Lippman on real estate on West Fourth St., increased $500; Richard Kuchs on real estate on West Fourth St., increased $500; Marland Oil Station, increased $2,500; Standard Oil Company, increased $2,000; Harry Mutz, increased $1,000; W. L. Johnson, reduced $200; Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, reduced $1,000; Henry Cook, reduced $1,000; Wm. K. Edwards, increased $200; Henry Kelly estate, reduced $500; James Middleton, increased $200; Charles Alexander, increased $300; Charles Alexander increased $200; M. A. Hahn reduced $1,000; Mrs. E. A. E. Kendall, reduced $200; Monroe Sharp, reduced $200; Wm. Moniene, increased $200; D. Housel, increased $100; George Greeson, increased, $300.

The county board of equalization received complaints late yesterday from J. W. Cochran of Lincoln township, who asked for a reduction of $500 on his 120-acre farm and from Mrs. McMackin, who wanted a reduction of $800 on her 80-acre farm.

Declamation Try-Outs Are Continued at H. S.

The second of a series of try-outs in declamation was held at the Maryville High School this morning in the auditorium. There were four who gave their readings as follows:

Floy Hall, "Mary Agnes Pretended."

Lela Maul, "At The Church Tea."

Ruby Ross, "Arimita Becomes A Radio Fan."

Doris Wallace, "The Perfect Tribute."

The series in declamation will be held throughout the remainder of the week.

PARK WINS IN DEBATE TODAY

STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE TEAM DEFEATED, 2 TO 1.

OXFORD PLAN IS USED

Visitors Change Minds of Greater Per Cent of Audience by Arguments on Child Labor.

The Park College debating team won from the State Teachers College team in an argument on the child labor question at 10 o'clock this morning in the College auditorium.

The visiting team presented a more concise and a better-delivered type of reasoning, and won by a two-to-one ratio. Park held the affirmative side of the question: Resolved, that the constitution of the United States be amended to give Congress power to regulate child labor.

Oxford Decision Plan Used

Hugh Wolfe and George Kelley were the Park College debaters. Keith Swisher and Clarence Bush represented the local College. The Oxford plan of deciding the outcome of the debate was used. Each person in the audience was given a slip of paper with three questions to be answered. The first question concerned the original belief of the person on the subject; the second had to do with whether the debate had changed the voter's mind; while the third was the opinion of the voter on which team was superior in regard to the debating.

Three hundred and ninety-one persons favored the affirmative side of the question at the start of the debate, while 211 were in favor of the negative side. The percentage of votes changed was 27 for the affirmative and 13.5 for the negative.

The Park College team stressed the fact that the individual states have not provided adequate means to cope with child labor. This child labor they defined as "industrial exploitation." The idea of co-operation between the states and national government was the major point of the visitors, their opinion being that the power of congress to regulate child labor would do no more than to strengthen the efforts of the government of the different states.

Number is Minimized

The Maryville team minimized the number of child laborers in this country saying that the majority are either working on farms or for their parents. A large amount of child labor was classed by them as the kind which was done before and after school hours.

The College team also made the point that the state system of regulation is adequate and that there would be a great danger if control were centralized in the national government. That it would be less effective in the hands of congress than in the jurisdiction of the different states was also the opinion of the Maryville debaters.

John M. Moore is the coach of the Park College team, and Thomas R. Wallin instructs the Maryville debaters. The visitors will leave this afternoon for Parkville, by way of St. Joseph.

Bailey Infant Dies Soon After Birth

Richard Glenn, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bailey, died last night, a short time after birth, at the home of Mr. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bailey, 311 West Halsey street.

The funeral was held at 12:30 o'clock today at the Bailey home and burial was in the Lamar cemetery near Elmo. Dr. C. C. James of the First Methodist Church officiated.

Rogers Funeral to Be Held Tomorrow A. M.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah E. Rogers, who was found dead in bed yesterday afternoon at her home on South Newton street, will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the residence. The service will be in charge of the Rev. R. E. Musgrave of the Christian Church. Burial will be in the Myrtle Tree cemetery. The pallbearers will include George Wray, Jess Wray, Everett Wray, Walter Smith, Paul Smith and Joe Sadler, all nephews of Mrs. Rogers.

Dr. Will Henson of Hopkins was in Maryville today.

Maryville business visitors yesterday were John O'Riley and son, Quitman; Jake Thompson and Charles Skidmore, Guilford.

Mrs. Jane Barber Dies at Home in Parnell

Succumbs Last Night Following Few Days Illness.—Funeral Arrangements Not Yet Complete.

Mrs. Jane Barber, 72 years old, died at her home in Parnell about 10 o'clock last night following a few days illness. She suffered a stroke of paralysis Monday. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. Lafe Couzens of Burlington Colo., who came yesterday, and two sons, George Barber, Sheridan, and Jim Barber, Peyton, Colo. The latter with his family arrived this afternoon. Mr. Barber died twelve years ago. Mrs. Barber had lived in the Parnell vicinity for a number of years.

COURT ENTRY STILL DISTANT

LEAGUE OFFICIALS OBJECT TO RESERVATIONS.

WANT FULL SUPPORT

Geneva Believes America Should Assume Equal Responsibility With Other Nation Members.

Washington, April 7.—America's actual entrance into the world court receded still further into the dim and misty future today as a result of the semi-official advises, which have reached Washington to the effect that the League of Nations is not going to accept the reservations which the Senate made a condition of American adherence.

The governing heads of the League viewed these reservations with suspicion and misgiving from the first. Their dislike was intensified upon an examination of the language. This resulted in the dispatch of instructions to League members to indicate their opposition. At that time, the League sent a special invitation to Washington to come to Geneva and talk it over.

The League's instructions to its members to indicate their opposition to the reservations and the collected invitation to the United States to come to Geneva to discuss the matter has set the insurgents in the Senate literally chortling.

The reservation at which the League is balking is the latter section of the fifth, which prohibits the court from ever rendering and advisory opinion concerning a question in which the United States claims an interest without consent of this government.

Inasmuch as the rendering of an advisory opinion is one of the chief functions of the court, as it now is constituted, this provision is reported to be considered by the Geneva statesmen as tantamount to ham-stringing. It is contended that if this reservation is strictly applied it might operate to prevent the court rendering any advisory opinion whatsoever for the interest of the United States.

Westminster Guild to Present Program

Annual Open Meeting To Be Held At Presbyterian Church Sunday Night —Bronson To Direct Music.

The senior Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church will hold its annual open meeting at the church Sunday night. The meeting will be in the nature of a song service. The committee in charge includes Miss Nell Hudson, Miss Helen Todd and Miss Neva Sage. Bernhardt Bronson will direct the music. The program will be published later.

A New Motor Car at Creston, Iowa

Will Be Used On Cumberland Branch —No Late News Regarding Motor Service on This Branch.

One of the latest type motor cars has been received at Creston, Ia., according to information here today. This car is to be put in service on the Cumberland branch out of Creston.

It is thought that in time motor cars will be installed on the Burlington branch through Maryville. However, W. E. Goforth, local agent at the Burlington, has received no late news regarding motor service on this branch.

John Dolittle, Arkoe; Andy Kink, Thomas Walton, George Neff, Mrs. Alva Lett and Jim Lett, Pickering; Benjamin Bosch, Gaynor; Carl Helzer, Graham; and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wells, Skidmore, were Maryville visitors today.

OTHER SCHOOL LEVIES CARRY

ALL COUNTY TOWNS TURN OUT GOOD MAJORITIES.

SEVERAL CLOSE RACES

Skidmore Elects a Mayor, Then Finds Him Not Eligible.—Women Boards Pass Out.

School levies were safely carried in all Nodaway County towns yesterday. Only at Elmo was the vote even close.

A proposal to build a new rural school in the Parnell consolidated district and a building levy there were defeated, but the regular levies were carried.

A number of school directors met defeat when they sought re-election, while others received hearty endorsements.

In town elections there were a number of close races. In two county towns governed by boards composed of women, the voters abandoned "petticoat rule."

Two Women's Boards Out.

The two towns, which have been governed by women will return to boards composed of men. At Quitman the present town board, composed of Mrs. Jim Malvern, Mrs. Minnie Rodman, Mrs. Albert Neeley, Mrs. Retta Thompson and Mrs. H. C. Bailey, announced that all its members had "had enough." None were candidates for re-election. At Graham there was again a women's ticket, but it lost by a large majority.

At Quitman the new board will be composed of Carl Johnson, who received 29 votes, Jim Palmer, 31, Ed Davis 31, Guy Williams 31 and Lee Stice 26. On an opposing ticket were R. L. Ellsworth, Opie Ross, Will Branson, Albert Morton and Albert Neeley. Each received six votes except Branson, who had eight.

Quitman had also a contest for school directors, H. D. McDonald, with 53 votes, and Will Johnson, with 59, being elected. Russell Young, a present director, and John Bilby, were other candidates. Young received 27 votes and Bilby 45. The school levy totaling 85 cents, carried by a vote of 60 to 19.

Graham Women Defeated.

The Graham women who met defeat as candidates for the town board were Mrs. John Geyer, Mrs. Dan Mowry, Mrs. Dan McGrew, Mrs. Wood Mowry and Mrs. Vern Cox. They were defeated by H. B. Barrett, Martin Bond, Charles Goodpasture, W. N. Sipes and George Baer. Bond was high on the winning ticket ,with 64 votes, while Mrs. Geyer led the feminine ticket with 16.

Mrs. Geyer is a member of the present board. Other retiring members are Mrs. E. L. Morgan, Mrs. Clyde Long and Mrs. E. W. Geyer. The only man on the old board is N. L. Harvey.

The Graham voters re-elected Clyde Long and S. S. Hayzlett as school directors, they receiving 85 and 84 votes respectively. They were opposed by R. E. Kyle, who had 46 votes, and N. L. Harvey, with 41.

A total school levy of $1, the same as last year, carried by a margin of 111 to 11, while authorization of a nine-months school term was voted, 127 to 4.

Parnell Defeats Two Levies.

Two school levies carried at Parnell, but two others for building purposes were defeated. The levy of 15 cents for the teachers fund received a favorable vote of 104 to 36, and the levy of 10 cents for the incidental fund was carried by a vote of 103 to 36. These levies were in addition to the usual 40-cent levy. The proposed levy of 15 cents for a building fund lost by a vote of 43 to 95, while a proposal for a new building in the Bunker district was defeated, 36 to 112.

Dr. J. F. Matteson and James F. LaFavor were elected directors of the Parnell consolidated district, with votes of 101 and 67 votes respectively. They were opposed by J. A. Porch, who received 42 votes, and Joe Spire, who received 39. The retiring directors are Malcolm Cox and O. W. Keever.

At the Parnell city election, Dr. Matteson was chosen as alderman of the first ward with 23 votes. Perry Hood was a close second with 21. In the second ward, B. F. Seyster also had 23 votes and was victorious over W. C. Timmerman, who had 12.

Ravenwood Results.

Ravenwood had contests both for the town board and the school board. The results there:

The new town board: M. L. Bentley, 53 votes; A. F. Slagle, 49; Newt

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Enemy of Mussolini and Fascista Dies

Prof. Biovanni Amendola Succumbs As Result of Injuries Received In Attack Six Months Ago.

Paris, April 7.—Prof. Biovanni Amendola, one of the most relentless opponents of Premier Mussolini, and Fascista in Italy, died at Cannes today. According to the newspaper LeMatin death came as a result of injuries suffered six months ago when he was brutally attacked by a gang of thugs, alleged to have been Fascist hirelings.

Professor Amendola was smuggled out of Italy by friends and taken to Paris. He was later removed to Cannes. Amendola had at one time been premier of the colonies in the Taena cabinet and had served numerous times as deputy for Salarno.

ATTEMPT LIFE OF MUSSOLINI

ITALIAN PREMIER SHOT BY HON. VIOLET GIBSON.

NOT SERIOUSLY HURT

Excitement at High Pitch When Woman Fires Point-Blank at Benito.

London, April 7.—The Woman, who today, attempted to assassinate Premier Mussolini of Italy was positively identified here as the Hon. Violet Albine Gibson, sister of Lord Ashbourne.

Rome, April 7.—Premier Mussolini had a narrow escape from death today at the hands of a female assassin. The premier was shot and slightly wounded by a woman as he left the International Congress of Surgeons where he had delivered an address.

Mussolini was just about ready to step into his automobile and depart for Chici palace when the woman fired at him. The bullet aimed at the premier's head went wide of its mark but hit Mussolini in the nose, wounding him slightly.

The premier's assailant, after having been lodged in prison, gave her name as Violet Gibson and her age as 60. She said she is a British subject and was born at Dalke near Dublin. Much confusion broke out in the crowd that had gathered to pay a tribute to the premier, who was about to leave for Tripoli.

In the excitement, Mussolini, although bleeding, was the most calm person present.

The woman had fired on him point blank from a close range and was immediately seized by the crowd. Mussolini intervened and gave orders to those about him to take immediate steps to prevent disorders or reprisal. The crowd had seized upon Mussolini's assailant and was in a great rage and it was only with the greatest difficulty that the Caribineri were able to rescue the woman and rush her to prison.

Osceola Man Named County Prosecutor

Jefferson City, April 7.—Governor Baker today appointed Wallace Lawton, Osceola, Republican, as prosecuting attorney of St. Clair County to succeed W. W. Wright, deceased.

Richmond Trust Co. Is Closed by Directors

Jefferson City, April 7.—The Richmond Trust Co., of Richmond, Mo., with total resources of $862,485, was closed this afternoon by its board of directors, according to advises received here by the state finance department. No details were received as to the cause of the failure, the fifteenth in the state this year.

To Make Plans for State Safety Meet

Jefferson City, April 7.—Plans for a state-wide safety conference will be made here at a meeting to be held April 13, Governor Baker announced today.

Pickering Track Meet to Be Held Saturday

A program will be given by the Pickering High School and grade students at the Christian Church at 8 o'clock Friday night. A market will be held Saturday morning and in the afternoon a track meet for grade students will be held.

BOOZE RING IS IN TO CANADA

AMAZING PICTURE PAINTED FOR SENATORS.

DIVERSION IS BLAMED

Dry U. S. Is Exporting Bootleg Liquor Into Wet Canada, Emory R. Bruckner Says.

Washington, April 7.—A monstrous underworld bootlegging industry, flouting the American prohibition law, has grown so powerful it now exports bootleg alcohol into the dry provinces of Canada, Emory R. Buckner, United States attorney for the southern district of New York, testified today before the Senate wet and dry committee.

Buckner painted an amazing picture of the diversion of industrial alcohol to intoxicating beverages in order to supply a dry but ever-thirsty America. This business, the attorney said, has even cut down the smuggling of foreign liquor into the United States because it is easier to get the diverted alcohol. The illegal diversion last year alone, he declared, supplied the bootlegging trade with $3,600,000 worth of illicit liquor.

"The inefficiency of the industrial alcohol service which lets sixty million gallons of alcohol slip into the bootleg trade annually has done as much as the coast-guard service to halt the smuggling of foreign liquor into the United States, Buckner told the amazed audience which jammed the Senate's judiciary committee's public hearing.

"There is so much industrial alcohol diverted to bootleggers that dry United States is exporting bootleg alcohol into wet Canada to help Canadian bootleggers beat the Canadian government out of its alcohol tax."

Buckner said one carload of the bootleg alcohol already has been seized at a Canadian port. It was sent by American bootleggers to Canadian bootleggers to defraud the Canadian government of its tax, the witness testified.

Largest Oil Tank Farm in World Afire Today

Blaze Follows Explosion Caused by Lightning in Union Oil Co. of California.

San Louis Obisto, Calif., April 7.—The largest oil tank farm in the world the property of the Union Oil Co. of California, was in flames this afternoon following an almost simultaneous explosion of the four huge tanks of oil, each containing 750,000 barrels.

Lightning struck one of the tanks, causing it to explode, and three others immediately exploded. A fire followed the explosion and the fifteen tanks containing 1,200,000 barrels of oil are in danger.

Further explosions are feared.

Predicts Record Wheat Crop for This Year

President of Southwest Millers League Estimates Total Production In 3 States At 300 Million Bushels.

Kansas City, April 7.—A bumper wheat crop, in Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas was predicted today by T. C. Thatcher, Oklahoma City, president of the Southwestern Millers League, in annual convention here.

Thatcher estimated the total production of the three states at 300 million bushels.

"Unless a drough or some unlooked-for calamity effects wheat, the Southwest will break all records in production this year," Thatcher said.

Traffic Is Resumed on C. & A. Branch

Mexico, Mo., April 7.—Traffic was resumed on the Chicago and Alton Railroad between here and Jefferson City today following a delay of several hours caused by a washout. A repair force worked throughout the night and this morning. The worst damage was done near Oritz by the heavy rains of the last few days.

Weather

Mostly cloudy tonight, colder in the extreme southeast portion; Thursday partly cloudy to cloudy, probably followed by rain and rising temperature in the west portion.

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REBUILDING AMERICA.

There is more to this American building boom than most of us have thought. Doubters have been prophesying a let-up, year after year, but no let-up appears. It seems as if the boom has become normal. So we begin to suspect that it isn't really a boom at all—it isn't building inflation—it is evidence of a new standard in the building industry.

This view is taken by W. C. Clark, a leading American authority.

For one thing, he says that the country hasn't really made up the "building deficit" that accumulated during the war years. On the contrary, we are still $10,000,000,000 behind pre-war requirements, if we make allowances for growth of population and decreased purchasing power of the dollar.

But suppose we are catching up to those older requirements, on paper. That matters little, he thinks, because "less than half the American people are housed today according to the standards to which they believe they are entitled."

Thus the present status of the building industry testifies to the new standard of living.

Here we have a great population, steadily increasing in numbers and wealth. Our people want better houses, better apartments, better hotels, better offices, better factories, better public buildings, better roads and bridges and everything else in the way of construction. Their natural inclinations are reinforced by profound changes in industry and society, and shifts of population. Rural sections are flowing into metropolitan areas and cities are spreading out into suburbs. That stimulates the demand for new homes.

Besides the demand for mere housing space and shelter, there are millions of formerly tolerable homes turned obsolete, which must be replaced. There are also countless obsolete stores, office buildings, factories, etc. America, externally at least, is being rebuilt before our eyes.

THE ITALIAN DEBT AGAIN.

The public had almost forgotten about the Italian debt settlement, assuming that little detail of international business was taken care of and out of the way. Now it bobs up again. The Senate has not yet disposed of the matter.

There is an unexpected volume of opposition to the settlement made by the debt commission and approved by the President. It appears in both parties. Most of it is based on a feeling that Italy was let off too easily. Some of it comes from a dislike of Mussolini.

Both classes of critics can make a good argument. Americans generally do not approve of Mussolini and his autocratic methods, and would like to get a good deal more from Italy in payment of the American debt. But most Americans seem to feel that the amount agreed upon is probably as much as Italy can or will pay, and that we're lucky to get that much. If the present settlement is overthrown now, we may not get anything at all.

Married men are said to work harder and the single ones say its because they have to.

Those who look forward instead of backward can see what is coming first. That's the reason some men embrace opportunities and some don't see them.

Does anybody know where the leak is? If so, let's move onto it and stop the flow for awhile. Or, is this weather the result of the "wet" drive in Washington?

Just arrived—Car Royalton, Franklin County Lump Coal.—Wm. Everhart.—Advertisement.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Me an' Pug thought we smelled a ghost in that old Taylor house today, but Papa said it was just Pug's goat that was with us."

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Mrs. Longworth Is Smooth Politician

If Her Husband Doesn't Get To Be President, It Won't Be Her Fault—Rumors Current.

By CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer.

Washington—If Nicholas Longworth never attains the presidency, it won't be for lack of political good management on his wife's part.

Not that Nicholas isn't a capable politician himself. He's a first-class specimen of the ordinary, well-known, standardized political pattern. But Mrs. Longworth unquestionably is a regular 24-carat political genius.

And, considering how early in the game this is, the speaker of the House of Representatives really is beginning to be quite a bit talked about for the 1928 nomination, as head of the Republican national ticket.

Nobody seriously doubts that Mrs. Longworth surreptitiously started this gossip.

It doesn't do to say so out loud, because no good Republican is supposed to mention any candidate other than President Coolidge to succeed himself, unless and until the president says he's out of it.

The fact that she has to appear not to be doing what she certainly is doing and that she succeeds, both ways, just goes to show how smooth Mrs. Longworth's work is.

Speaker Longworth will make an ornamental president if he ever does get into the White House.

He knows how to make the most of himself. He was good raw material to begin with and he's had every imaginable opportunity to develop—money, education, social position and intimate association with worth-while people.

He's thoroughly equal to looking and playing the presidential part. The White House would be a great place, socially, with the Longworths in it. Swell style is one thing they're strong on.

What Other Editors Say

MISSOURI MUST SHOW THE WORLD.

B. H. Piepmeier, chief engineer of the state highway commission, is quite right in his assertion that Missouri should advertise as extensively as possible the fact that she has lifted itself out of the mud in which it has floundered for years. He asks with all pertinency, why spend $60,000,000 on a comprehensive road program and then wait for the world to find out about it?

The beneficial results of the program as carried out thus far are being realized every day. A volume of travel, already large and rapidly increasing, is signalizing the completion of the highway between Kansas City and St. Louis and other component parts of the Missouri road system. Tens of thousands of motorists are being diverted to the south from Chicago, and this state will reap the material advantages, to say nothing of the prestige, of this diversion.

Mr. Piepmeier is particularly enthusiastic over highway No. 2, connecting the state's two largest cities. His optimism finds expression in the prediction that ultimately it will be one of the greatest highways in the world and the most traveled transcontinental route. There is no reason for believing that this enthusiasm is exaggerated.

Which places the problems of publicity in the hands of all who are in a position to further the state's best interests along these lines. Missouri must show the world and it must keep telling about what it has to show.—Kansas City Journal.

Just wishing things would change is about like striking a match to the thermometer to make the room warmer.

To keep from being annoyed by gray hair consider it dignified.

Now is the time to start talking about how poor you are. The family may want a new car this spring.

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for Thursday, Friday and Saturday Selling

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36 inch good quality unbleached muslin, very special, now per yard only..... **10c**

36 inch "Pride of Dixie," a wonderful quality of muslin in either bleached or unbleached, absolutely free from starch and dressing, now per yard only..... **14c**

36 inch, our famous "Daisy" muslin, the very finest quality on the market, now per yard..... **16c**

40 inch unbleached muslin, a good heavy quality, a rare bargain for this width, now per yard..... **16c**

Our very fine quality Wearwell wide sheetings, the only sheeting on the market that is made with tape edge and will not tear.

7-4 or 63 inch, now per yard...47c
8-4 or 72 inch now per yard...49c
9-4 or 81 inch, now per yard...54c
10-4 or 90 inch now per yard...59c

A real bargain in an extra fine quality wide sheeting such as Pepperall, Kearsarge, in either bleached or unbleached at the very lowest prices of the season.

8-4 or 72 inch per yard only...37c
9-4 or 81 inch per yard only...39c
10-4 or 90 inch per yard only...44c

Cretonne

Here is a very special display of beautiful cretonnes that are worth a great deal more than we are now asking. These have been selected from our large stock specially priced now, per yard only..... **50c**

Hosiery

One lot of children's and misses' high grade mercerized stockings, our regular 69c and 75c qualities are now being closed out at per pair only..... **35c**

The best dollar silk stocking in the United States for ladies' is sold in our store now at per pair only..... **94c**

The most popular stocking on the market today is the Kayser slipper heel. This beautiful slipper heel gives the ankle that beautiful slendorizing effect which all women like. 43 different colors to select from, the service weight pure thread silk in these stockings are only, per pair..... **$1.85**

The beautiful fine chiffon stocking as sheer as a cobweb, made with marvel non-stop run protector, per pair now only..... **$1.95**

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

Coats and Dresses

Never before in our history have we shown such an extensive and varied assortment of styles, materials in cloaks and dresses as we are now showing.

Extra Special Ladies' Cloaks in a beautiful array of materials and styles at..... **$9.85**

Ladies' silk dresses in all the popular silks in the very latest styles and trimmings at each only..... **$9.85**

All other coats priced now at 10 per cent off.

Silk Gloves

This is one of the biggest bargains that we have ever offered in gloves. Pure thread double finger tip silk gloves with the new turnover fancy cuffs for these three days After Easter Sale the price, per pair only..... **69c**

Ladies' Union Suits

Ladies' knit union suits, umbrella style, closed, band top, all sizes 36 to 44, a real bargain now each only..... **45c**

Ladies' mercerized ribbed union suit with a silk stripe, closed, band top, all sizes 36 to 44, an exceptional value now, each only..... **65c**

Ruffled Curtains

One lot of white scrim curtains, plain and barred effects, each pair of curtains has a tie-back, very special now, per pair only..... **79c**

Silk Underwear

We are headquarters for all kinds of silk underwear.

Ladies' Rayon silk vests now only..... **97c**

Ladies' Rayon silk bloomers, now only..... **$1.50**

A very extensive line of both the famous "Dove" and Kayser silk underwear, the very best qualities to be had for the price; you can buy just what you want at the price you want to pay for silk gowns, slips, teddies, step-ins, bloomers and vests.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

This is a real bargain in sheets and pillow cases.

Seamless sheet, extra heavy quality, 81x90 inches in size, a real value now, each only..... **$1.19**

42x36 inch pillow cases to match this excellent sheet now, each only..... **25c**

Sateen

An exceptionally good value in 36 inch full mercerized sateen all colors—a real bargain now, per yard only..... **39c**

Gingham

Here are three of the best values that we have ever offered in dress gingham, all 32 inches wide and all fast colors and the largest range of patterns and styles to select from that you will find anywhere.

One lot of these wonderful ginghams now as low as..... **19c**

One lot of fine Zephyr gingham now only..... **27c**

One lot of our regular 75c imported French or Anderson's gingham, now per yard only..... **50c**

Table Damask

58 inch full bleached mercerized table damask, a real bargain now per yard only..... **49c**

72 inch full bleached table damask, now per yard only..... **69c**

70 inch bleached mercerized table damask with colored border; this cloth is worth $1.50 in a regular way, now very special, per yard only..... **89c**

Apron Check Gingham

The very finest quality of Amoskeag apron check gingham in all size checks now, per yard only..... **12½c**

House Dresses

Ladies' absolutely fast colored gingham and percale house dresses in a large variety of styles to select from, our regular $1.39 and $1.50 qualities, now each only..... **$1.00**

Terry Cloth

This double faced popular drapery material in a wide range of patterns to select from, very special now per yard only..... **89c**

Boutonnieres

These beautiful artificial flowers in almost an endless variety to select from have just arrived. You will like these as every woman will have her dress or coat adorned with a beautiful artificial flower this season. Make your selection now from **25c to $1.50 each**

Rayon Dress Materials

These beautiful silky-like dress materials in a large variety of checks, stripes and plaids as well as the plain colors, now per yard only..... **69c**

Prints

One of the most popular cloths for ladies' and children's dresses, in all the new popular small printed designs in this beautiful material in two wonderful qualities:

Wendover Prints—32 inches wide, now per yard only..... **29c**

Wm. Anderson's very fine quality silky finish prints, now per yard only..... **65c**

Silks

Buy silks at this store where you can get the largest collection and the lowest prices to be found in Northwest Missouri.

New figured 40 inch all silk Crepe de Chine in the most beautiful assortment of patterns and designs to choose from; this quality cannot be bought elsewhere—for less than $2.50 and $3.00 per yard, one price now only, per yard..... **$2.00**

40 inch all silk Crepe de Chine in plain colors in most any shade that you could desire now a real bargain, per yard only..... **$1.69**

33 inch all silk Pongee, the good heavy quality, in natural color, now only, per yard..... **79c**

40 inch beautiful soft Crepe-back Satin in black and all the popular colors, now per yard only..... **$3.00**

36 inch Radium Silk (it is so popular for slips and all kinds of underwear, in most any color that you could desire, now per yard only..... **$1.00**

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TOILET ARTICLES

Cuticura Soap	19c	Melba Skin Cleanser	34c
Woodbury's Soap	19c	Melba Face Powder	34c
Resinol Soap	19c	Pompeian Face Powder	33c
Packer's Tar Soap	19c	Pompeian Day Cream	33c
Mulsified Cocoanut Oil	31c	Pompeian Night Cream	33c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste	32c	Pompeian Massage Cream	33c
Pebeco Tooth Paste	32c	Stillman's Freckle Cream	32c
Luxor Face Powder	34c	Nen Spi	32c
Djer Kiss Face Powder	34c	DeLuxe Almond and Benzoin Lotion	33c
Mavis Face Powder	34c	Milk of Cucumber Lotion	33c
Pond's Cold Cream	29c	Florient Face Powder	32c
Pond's Vanishing Cream	29c	Colgate's Vanishing Cream	33c
Djer Kiss Cold Cream	33c	Marinello Foundation Cream	33c
Djer Kiss Vanishing Cream	33c	Volcano Lava (Mud of Youth)	89c
Elcaya Face Powder	31c	Jean's Henne Oriental (Hair dye)	94c
Elcaya Cold Cream	31c	Woodbury's Face Powder	32c
Elcaya Vanishing Cream	31c	Doris Rose Talcum (glass jars)	31c
Mary Garden Cold Cream	32c	Luxor Cold Cream	31c
Woodbury's Facial Cream	32c	Sempre Jovenay	31c
		Kleenex	29c

Club Meeting Postponed.

This week's meeting of the Knabb Country Club, to have been held with Mrs. Jesse Smith, has been postponed until next Wednesday afternoon.

Hostess at Bridge

Mrs. J. Arthur Noid entertained informally at bridge at her home in the South Methodist Flats this afternoon. Three tables were arranged for the games.

Sorority Business Meeting.

A business meeting of Pi Epsilon Pi sorority will be held at 7 o'clock tonight at the home of Miss Margaret McMurry on Grand avenue.

P.-T. A. Party.

Members of the Maryville branch, Parent-Teacher Association, who expect to attend the party in honor of the public schools faculty tomorrow night at the first Methodist Church, are requested to notify the respective room mothers not later than tomorrow noon. The affair will open at 7:30 o'clock.

Dinner-Bridge at Hotel Linville

The members of the Tuesday Bridge Club and their husbands enjoyed a dinner-bridge last night at Hotel Linville. The games were played at three tables, the high-score prizes going to Mrs. O. M. Watkins and Dr. E. C. Braniger. Mr. Watkins received the consolation favor. The affair was attended by Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis, jr., Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gillam, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Deatherage, and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Costello.

Guild Meeting.

Mrs. C. P. Fryer and Miss Edith Cramer were hostesses at the regular meeting of the senior Westminster Guild Chapter of the Presbyterian Church last night at the home of the former on West First street. Miss Dessa Gault was the devotional leader. Arrangements were completed for the open meeting, "Religion in Song," to be held Sunday night at the church. The Guild voted to deposit $25 to initiate a fund to build a chuch kitchen. This fund will be added to from time to time. Miss Margaret Davison was the leader of the lesson, "The Slav at Worship in America." The program was followed by a social hour and refreshments, served by the hostesses and Mildred Fryer. The meeting was attended by Mrs. F. R. Marcell, Mrs. Alma Braun, Mrs. J. H. Knox, Mrs. R. C. Person, Mrs. C. W. Rogers, Mrs. Bernhardt Bronson, Miss Edith Graham, Miss Neva Sage, Miss Dessa Gault, Miss Margaret Lee Winston, Miss Leona Willard, Miss Margaret Davison, Miss Nell Hudson, Miss Nora Ritze, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Iva Avritt and the hostesses.

M. I. Officers Re-elected.

All officers of the Mutual Improvement Circle were re-elected at the regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Virgil Hartness on East Sixth street, as follows: President, Mrs. J. E. Melvin; vice-president, Mrs. J. M. Huntze; secretary, Mrs. Virgil Hartness; and treasurer, Mrs. R. L. Larmer. The program committee for the next club year was named as follows: Mrs. W. W. Stilwalt, Mrs. Vada Halley, Mrs. Walter Mutz and Mrs. Melvin, ex-officio member.

The meeting opened with the devotions, led by Mrs. Hartness, and roll call was responded to with household hints. "Household Economy" was the subject discussed. The program consisted of talks on "Family Budget" and "Balanced Menus" by Mrs. Louisa Catterson and Mrs. Robert Lyle, and a general discussion conducted by Mrs. Vada Halley. A program on "Parks" will be given at the next meeting to be April 20 with Mrs. Ed Hamlin.

Federation Convention April 13-14.

The convention of the First district, Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs, will be held in St. Joseph next Tuesday and Wednesday, April 13 and 14, at the Y. W. C. A. The district comprises sixteen counties of northwest Missouri. Last year's convention was held in Maryville with the Twentieth Century Club as hostess. At a recent session of the executive board of the local club the following delegates and alternates were elected to the annual meeting next week: Mrs. M. A. Peery, Mrs. L. L. St. Clair, Mrs. George P. Sillers, Mrs. F. A. Bush, Mrs. W. F. Chaves and Mrs. D. J. Thomas. Mrs. W. W. Stanfield, club president, and Mrs. C. P. Fryer, district secretary, will attend by virtue of their offices. Each club in the district is expected to send its full quota of delegates. The local club's quota is four.

The first day will be devoted to a business session and a motor car ride, and the important event of the second day will be a joint luncheon of four departments of the St. Joseph federation, at Hotel Robidoux, at which the accredited delegates will be guests. Mrs. Henry N. Ess of Kansas City, state federation president; Mrs. P. Caspar Harvey of Liberty, state chairman of the press department, and Mrs. George A. Still of Kirksville, past state president and present state chairman of the American citizenship department, will be the principal speakers at the convention.

Delegates will register at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, April 13. After luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria the convention proper will convene at 1:30 o'clock. Mrs. John G. Graham of Mound City, district president, will give a report of the state board meeting held at Sedalia yesterday and Monday.

Program on Japan.

Twelve members attended the April meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, at the home of Mrs. N. G. Ellis on South Fillmore street yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Fisher and Miss Hutchison were guests. During the business session before the program Mrs. W. T. Gray was elected a delegate to the state convention of missionary societies at Moberly the latter part of this month. The alternate is Mrs. J. C. Johnson. The program on Japan was in charge of Mrs. Ellis, and others participating were Mrs. R. A. Mitchell, Mrs. R. M. Barry, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch.

Twentieth Century Club Luncheon.

About 110 reservations have been made for the 1 o'clock luncheon of the Twentieth Century Club tomorrow afternoon in the dining room of the First Methodist Church. A musical program will be presented during the luncheon. A short session of the executive board will precede the luncheon and following it the annual meeting and election of officers will be held.

Circle No. 4.

The April meeting of Circle No. 4 of the Baptist Church was held last night at the home of Mrs. J. S. Clark on South Main street. The meeting opened with prayer by the Rev. Guy L. Prather. Forty-two enlistment and twenty-two benevolent and aid calls were reported at the business session. The program consisted of a general discussion on "Prayer and Missions." The collection was $1.60. Ten members and three visitors attended the meeting.

Miss Nicholas Entertains.

Miss Virginia Nicholas was hostess at a 7 o'clock dinner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Nicholas, last night in compliment to Miss Ellen Benson and Miss Glen Mudgett of St. Joseph. Other guests were Misses Helen Geist, Martha Glover, Mildred Tebow and Mildred Carlson.

O'Connor-McManus.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth O'Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Connor of Conception, and Cornelius McManus of Conception Junction took place at 8 o'clock this morning at the Immaculate Conception Church at Concetion. The Rev. Father Placid officiated. The bridesmaid was Miss Gladys Pfeiffer and Thomas O'Connor, brother of the bride, served as best man. The bride was attired in periwinkle blue crepe de chine with hat to correspond, and she carried pink roses and ferns. Miss Pfeiffer's gown was of burnt orange brocaded crepe and her bouquet was of pink carnations and ferns. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast for forty guests was served at the home of the bride. Mr. McManus and his bride will leave for a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and other eastern points and upon their return will be at home on a farm, two miles east of Clyde. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. McManus.

Read the Want Ads.

Woman's Find Worth Fabulous Fortune

"I wouldn't take a million dollars for the good MAYRS has done for me. I have finished the course and can say I am entirely cured of very severe indigestion, bloating and colic attacks I suffered from for many years." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. At all druggists.—Adv.

Yeaman Heifers Top Market at St. Joseph

One of the attractions in the cattle department of the local market Tuesday was a carload of handy weight yearling heifers, high grade Herefords, fed by R. P. Yeaman of Nodaway county, Mo. The drove topped the market not only for heifers but steers as well, selling at $9.45. There were 24 head in the consignment that averaged 718 pounds. These heifers were bought here as calves Oct. 10 last and were fed on a ration of shelled corn, alfalfa hay and cotton cake, making a net gain of 306 pounds in weight during the time they were out. Mr. Yeaman is one of the substantial farmers and feeders of his community and to show that he still has faith in farming he recently purchased another farm.

—St. Joseph Stockyards Journal.

I. O. O. F. Assn. Meeting Postponed.

The Nodaway County I. O. O. F. Association meeting which was to have been held here last night was postponed on account of bad roads. It will be held on April 20.

Married by Judge Robertson.

A marriage license was issued today to Levi Johnson of Hopkins and Zelpha Webb of Maryville. They were married at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon by Judge Jesse F. Robertson in the rest rooms at the courthouse.

What Jerry Says

Each morning a Robin
Comes singing for me,
And a jolly old optimist
Surely is he.
But a prognosticator
Just as surely he's not,
For it isn't spring yet
By a long shot.

Felix Whitehurch of Savannah was in Maryville yesterday on business.

J. W. Hedrick and M. R. Rudolph of Nodaway County cashed stock on the St. Joseph market yesterday.

Meeting Series Ended at Bloomfield School

Musical Program Ends Community Affairs at School Taught By John Hood.

The Bloomfield School closed its series of community meetings last night with a musical program. At the close of the program refreshments of sandwiches, pie, pickles and coffee were served by the committee.

The following program was given:

Xylophone solo—LeRoy Fisher.

Monolog—Marvin Carmichael.

Vocal solo—DeLora and Mayme McClurg.

Song—Former Pickering High School Quartette.

Song—Barber Shop Harmony Boys.

Xylophone solo—LeRoy Fisher.

Piano solo—Edith Hanna.

Song—Former Pickering High School Quartette.

Xylophone solo—LeRoy Fisher.

Song—Former Pickering High School Quartette.

Xylophone solo—LeRoy Fisher.

Song—Barber Shop Harmony Boys.

Xylophone solo—LeRoy Fisher.

Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fisher of Maryville, Mrs. J. N. Geyer of Pickering, LeRoy Fisher of Maryville, Forrest Smith, Raymond Housten, and Faye McKee of Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cain and baby daughter, Helen Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hood, Donnis and John Hood, Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. George Hantze, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John McClurg, Mr. and Mrs. Will Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Earle McClurg, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McClurg, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael.

Misses Maudie, Bernice and Anna Belle Hollensbe, Ethelyn and Edith Hanna, Geneva and Maxine Thompson, Neva DeLora and Mayme McClurg, Cleta McClurg, Helen, Elnora and Lois Carmichael.

Harlen Hantze, Edison Curtis, Charles and Robert Hanna, Leland, LeRoy and Verlin Morrow, Lloyd and Ralph McClurg, Eddie, Earle and Stanley Howard and Donald Carmichael, Milo and Iven McClurg, and Frank Burch.

After refreshments were served the two quartettes sang several songs.

The closing number was "Good Night, Ladies." John Hood is teacher of the Bloomfield school.

Just arrived—Car Royalton, Franklin County Lump Coal.—Wm. Everhart.—Advertisement.

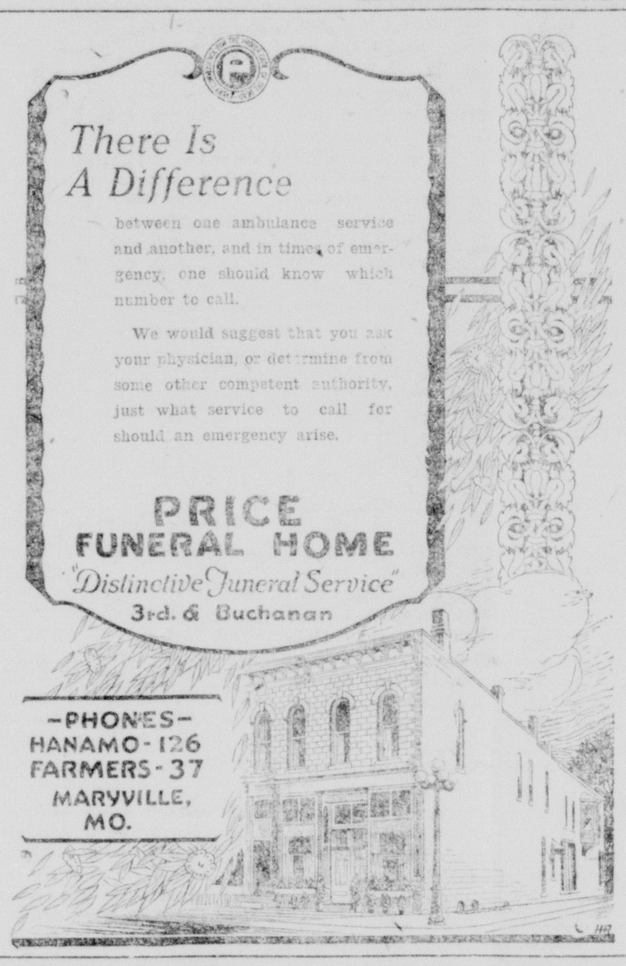
Cummins-Wray to Open a Parlor in Hopkins

Cummins and Wray, undertakers, will open a branch parlor in Hopkins next week. Wray Mahan will be in charge, and the parlor will be located in the building formerly occupied by the Sayler Hardware Co., now occupied by the Mahan Hardware concern.

Read the Want Ads.

Veterans of Foreign Wars

Regular meeting
Thursday, April 8,
at 8 p. m.
Veterans Association rooms.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A Difference
between one ambulance service and another, and in times of emergency, one should know which number to call.
We would suggest that you ask your physician, or determine from some other competent authority, just what service to call for should an emergency arise.
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Corsets, Corselettes, Girdles, Brassieres. You will like the styles we sell.

Non-clinging slips and bloomers that wear. Ladies' beautiful Scarfs, money Bags, Handkerchiefs, Collar and Cuff Sets, Compacts, Garters.

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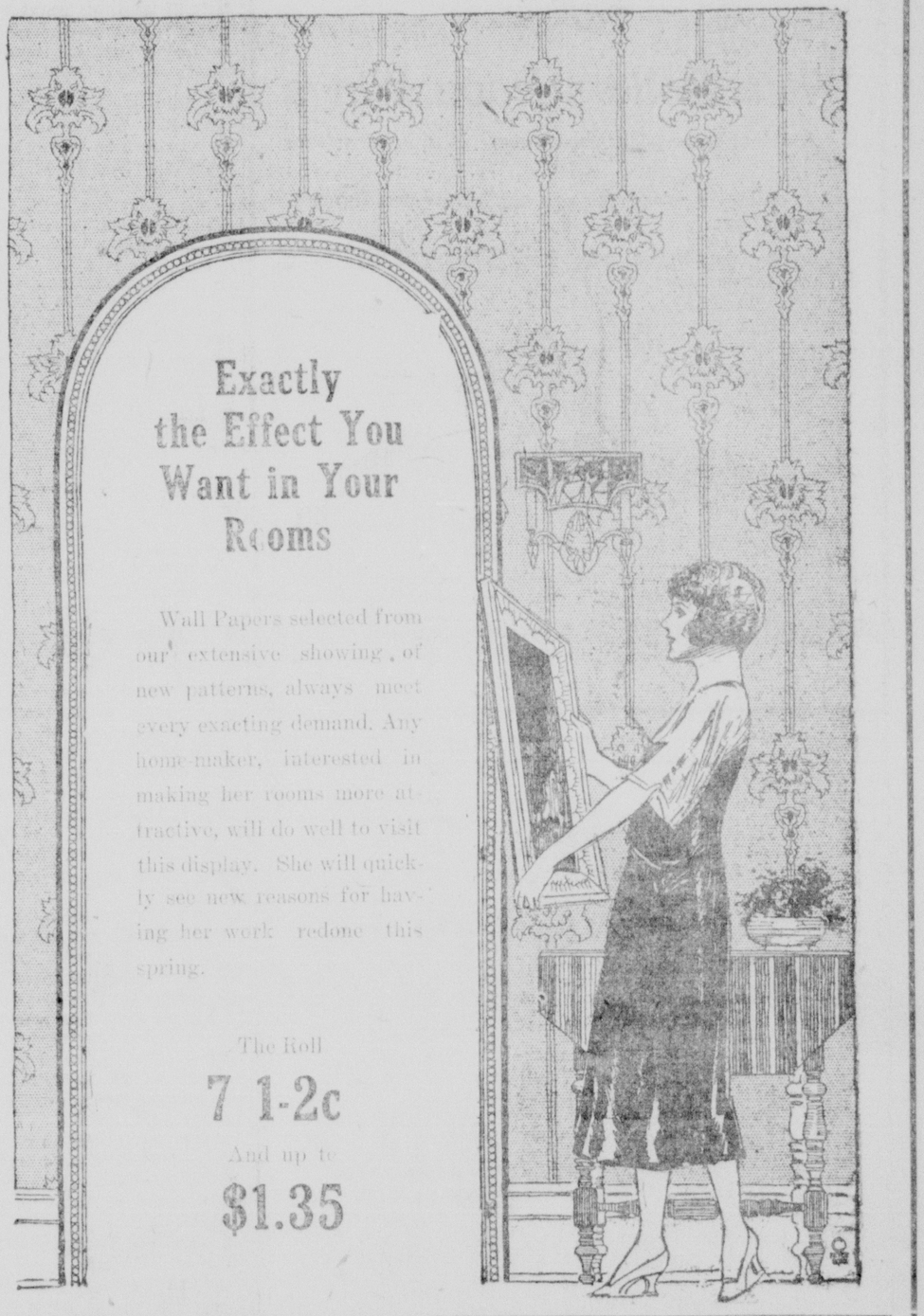
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Wall Papers selected from our extensive showing of new patterns, always meet every exacting demand. Any home-maker, interested in making her rooms more attractive, will do well to visit this display. She will quickly see new reasons for having her work redone this spring.
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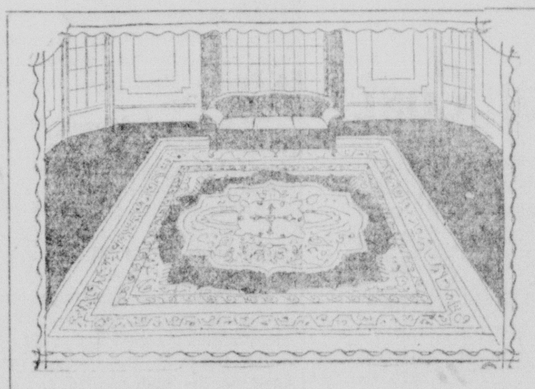
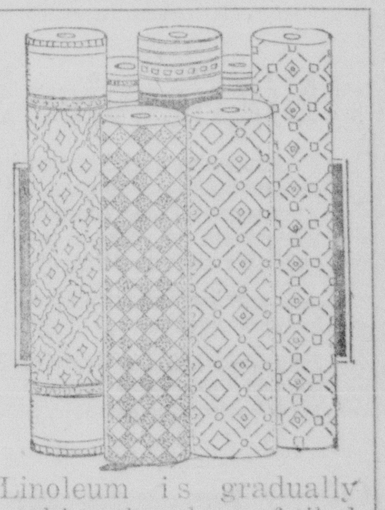


Rug Values were never so liberal here!

We have purchased a large number of high grade Rugs in every size desired, and every rug in stock is perfect, new merchandise and patterns appear in most fashionable colors.

Seamless Axminsters	Seamed Axminsters	Seamless Wool Velvets

Rugs in stock, 9x12 sizes in grades from..... $12.50 to $120



Linoleum is gradually taking the place of tiled flooring.

—And there are a number of good reasons for this, perhaps the greatest being the warmth added to the room. Then, too, linoleum is noiseless, the appearance is unquestionably fine, and it is very easily cleaned.

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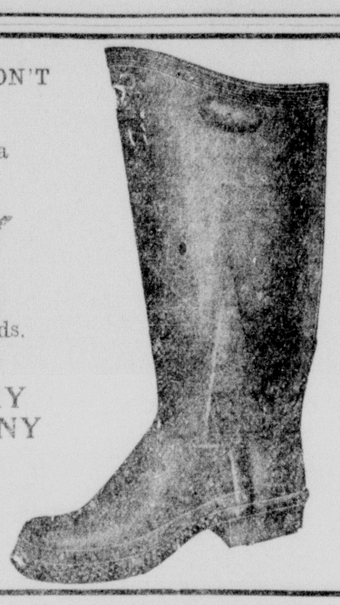

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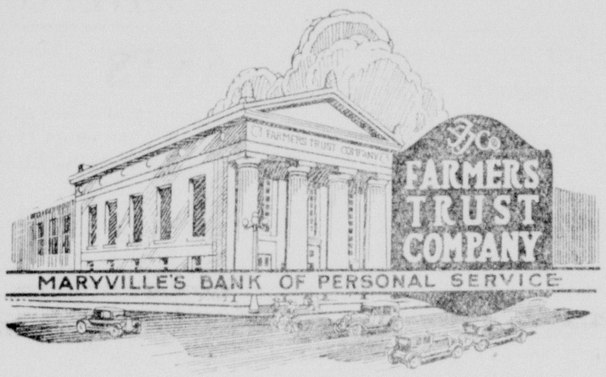
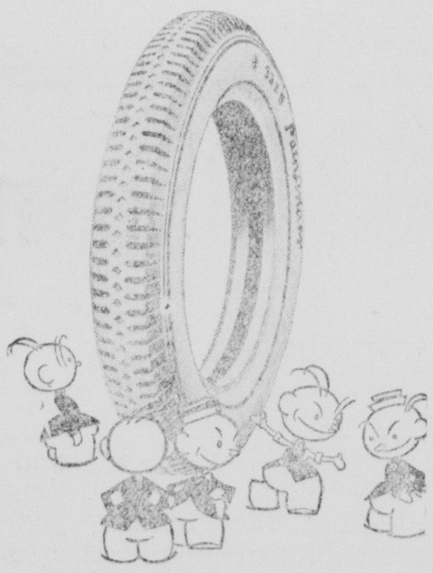
A dollar in the pocket has wings. It flies away from you.

A dollar in a savings account here earns interest. It stays by you.

Open a savings account here today and clip your dollar's wings.





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30x3½ Pathfinder Oversize Clincher Cord...$10.90
29x4.40 Pathfinder Balloon ...$13.50
32x4 Pathfinder Straight Side Cord...$18.40

Other sizes equally low priced.

Built and Guaranteed by Goodyear.

George McMurry

Remember—Our Tire Service is Back of Every Sale.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Lewis and daughter of Harmony were in Maryville today.

Walter and Everett Cochran of Burlington Junction spent today in Maryville.

Keith Swisher, a College student, had as his guests Sunday, Arthur Reed of Jamesport, Mo., and Duley Snyder of Braddyville, Ia.

The McDonnell Chevrolet Co., is doing business temporarily at the O. K. Garage. All models are on display. See Fred Newlon.—Advertising.

The "Slabtown" district convention will be held at the A. M. E. Church on South Vine street at 8:15 o'clock tomorrow night.

Emporia Votes For Pool Hall.

Emporia, Kan., April 7.—Emporia yesterday reopened its pool halls by voting for an ordinance legalizing them, after they had been closed by a district court order. The majority for the pool halls was approximately 700.

Mrs. Morgan to Idaho.

Mrs. Nell Morgan will leave tonight for St. Anthony, Idaho, where she has been elected to a position in the State Industrial School.

Here Working On Annual.

Wesley McDonald of Fairfax was in Maryville today. He is art editor of the Fairfax High School annual and was here reading proof and assisting in the make-up of the publication.

Visit Maryville Relatives.

Mrs. J. Y. Schrock of Omaha came this morning for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Farrar, and with her brothers and sister, Harry and Joe Farrar and Mrs. W. B. Carter. She was accompanied by her uncle, D. S. Farrar of Spokane, Wash., who will also visit relatives here.

Has Completed Bridge.

W. W. Randall of this city has completed a 153-foot span across the Nodaway river between New Point and Fillmore.

Other School Levies Carry

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Long, 47; Darrell Wells, 49; C. A. Shunk, 55. Defeated candidates: G. P. Horton, 45; E. B. Holtman, 30; S. P. Ross, 30; C. E. Loch, 41; John Midyett, 26.

The school levy (total 75 cents): Yes, 100; no, 15.

School directors (three): V. O. Hunt, 107; John Lewis, 81; L. M. Fryar, 67. Defeated candidates were D. M. Bishop, a member of the present board, with 46 votes; W. W. Burch, 61; George P. Deshazer, 29. Jesse Joy, another member of the present board was not a candidate for re-election.

The retiring town board is composed of L. S. Slagle, mayor, Vern Chambers, Loren Long, Howard Beedle and Joe Yeary. None were candidates for re-election.

Barnard Election Quiet.

Both Barnard town and school elections were very quiet. The school levy, totaling $1 was carried by a vote of 56 to 16, and Ray Davis and Roy Dane were elected as new directors, the former receiving 57 votes and the latter 54. They defeated two present members of the board, S. J. Smith, who received 36 votes and J. C. Curnutt, who had 25.

The following men were elected as members of the Barnard town board: Ray Davis, chairman; Roy Dane, Elmer F. Smith, L. D. Goforth and Paul Gorsuch.

Close at Conception Junction.

One of the closest contests was at Conception Junction, where Frank A. Turner was elected mayor over Earl Kelley by three votes. Turner will serve for one year, to fill out the unexpired term caused by the resignation of G. S. Parrott. He received 118 votes to 115 for Kelley.

For first ward alderman, Charles B. Nathman received 73 votes to 58 for Joe H. Leininger. In the second ward, Emmett E. Growney was elected alderman over John H. Luke by a vote of 61 to 38. Frank Holtman was elected police judge over J. W. Corcoran by a vote of 129 to 103.

The Conception Junction voters approved a total school levy of $1 by the decisive vote of 183 to 30. They voted, 199 to 10, for a school term of nine months, and decided, 114 to 103, that the school building may be used for religious, literary or other purposes.

Emil Zuklin and Willard Foster were chosen as school directors with votes of 137 and 135 respectively, defeating Eldon Hildebrand, with 115, and Lee Stowell, with 110.

Three Contests at Hopkins.

Hopkins also had some close races. Dr. C. W. Kirk was re-elected mayor without opposition, and Leonard Whitten, city marshal, also had no opposition, but there was a contest for the positions of police judge and city collector. For the former, Henry Wray was elected by 23 votes over Ira Burch and for collector S. E. Browne won by six votes over Ira Fine.

Jake Haaf and Charles E. Donlin were re-elected as aldermen from the first and second wards respectively. The Hopkins vote by wards was as follows:

	1st W.	2d. W.	Total
For Mayor—			
Dr. C. W. Kirk	84	122	206
For City Marshal—			
Leonard Whitten	82	114	196
For Police Judge—			
Henry Wray	41	73	114
Ira Burch	43	48	91
For Collector—			
S. E. Browne	31	75	106
Ira Fine	53	47	100
Alderman 1st Ward:			
Jake Haaf			80
Alderman, 2nd Ward:			
Charles E. Donlin			117

Another close contest developed at Hopkins in the school election, in which Irvin Hanna opposed and defeated A. F. Beinert for reelection as a school director. Hanna received 137 votes to 124 for Beinert. Denver Florea, another old member of the board, was reelected without opposition, receiving 239 votes.

The school levy, totaling $1 carried by a vote of 151 to 74. The vote in the school election was unusually heavy.

Skidmore Mayor Not Eligible.

An unusual situation was created at Skidmore by the election of D. W. A. Haynes as mayor. After he received an almost unanimous vote, it was found that he had not lived within the city limits for six months, although he has resided in the vicinity of Skidmore all his life. He received 190 votes. Eight were cast for A. C. Dodds and five for J. W. Rodman. Local leaders were in doubt today as to what would be done. The present mayor is G. L. Owen.

For marshal of Skidmore, William Bodle was re-elected by a three-to-one majority. He received 153 votes to 47 for A. F. Hitchcock. Collector C. H. Geyer also was reelected, receiving 202 votes. Two were cast for John Aldridge for this office.

C. E. Linville received 98 votes for alderman from the first ward and will succeed Dr. Morgan, who was not a candidate, while J. R. Gibbs received 105 votes and was re-elected from the second ward without opposition.

The Skidmore school proposals carried by large majorities and Earl Stevenson and Dr. J. E. Pierpoint were re-elected as directors. The former received 243 votes and the latter 249, as against 27 for each of their opponents, William Taylor and George McDaniel. Two votes were cast for Roy Twaddell and two for Dean Shell.

A petition of Robert Wells for admission to the Skidmore consolidated school district received 235 favorable votes to 40 against. It was reported that he also carried his home district.

Scant Margin for Elmo Levy.

The Elmo school levy of 40 cents in addition to the 40 cents authorized by law had a close call, receiving 84 votes in favor to 81 against. E. K. Bailey was re-elected as a director, receiving 172 votes, but Floyd Graham, a present director, was defeated by Spencer Lamb. Graham received 74 votes to 87 for Lamb.

A proposal to change the boundary line of the Elmo consolidated district to take in eighty acres owned by B. H. Livengood received 114 votes to 23 against. In Livengood's home district, however, the vote was 13 to 1 against such a change. He is now in the Cottonwood district. The matter will be submitted to the county superintendent of schools, who probably will be asked to appoint mediators.

The present town board of Elmo was re-elected over another complete ticket. W. R. Browning, who was on both tickets, received 45 votes, L. Shonesy 39, W. O. Moss 38, Clyde Grider 37, and Grant Elrod, present mayor, 38.

The high man on the opposing ticket was W. C. Aldrich, with 27 votes. The other members, in addition to Browning, were Z. T. Vansickle, J. H. McIntyre, and W. D. Beaver.

A Change at Guilford.

There was a complete change in the town board at Guilford, Mayor W. B. Torrance, the only member of the old board to seek re-election, being defeated. The successful candidates for the board were O. C. Bradley, who was on both tickets, Millard Ellis, John Farnam, John Todd and W. D. McClanahan. Defeated candidates were Mayor Torrance, W. T. Ross, F. L. Henderson and L. O. Brittain. Other members of the present board are C. C. Noland, C. C. Reynolds, Martin Peterson and Jacob Nelson.

The Guilford school levy, totaling $1, carried by a vote of 49 to 8.

Three school directors were chosen. For the three-year term, R. C. Wilson and William Campbell, receiving 34 and 62 votes respectively, were elected, while Andrew Nelson, with 26 votes, was elected for a one-year term. Defeated candidates for the three-year term were J. H. Carver, 19 votes, and R. P. Anderson, 18. For the one-year term, defeated candidates were W. T. Ross, 22, and John O. Nelson, 18. Campbell was a candidate on both tickets.

Monk Elected Mayor.

Bert Monk was elected mayor of Burlington Junction with a reported majority of 42 over L. C. Severs. Vern Dolph was elected police judge to succeed Ed Dewyre; G. P. Vance as police judge succeeding Knox Alexander; S. J. Friend, collector, succeeding himself; J. R. Weable as alderman from the first ward, succeeding Homer Carmichael; and Dr. C. E. Cossins, alderman from the second ward, succeeding Charles I. Hann.

The Burlington Junction school levy of 60 cents, in addition to the legal 40 cents, was voted by 183 to 68, and a 20-cent building levy carried, 143 to 101.

H. S. Staples, with 166 votes, and E. S. Harrison, with 175, were elected school directors over E. E. Hackett, 141, and J. C. Ware, 135. The directors whose terms expire are L. C. Severs and Charles Ferguson.

Arkoe Mayor Defeated.

Dwight Swinford, present mayor of Arkoe, was defeated by Raymond Dobbins by a single vote, Dobbins getting 16 and Swinford 15. T. M. Jones and Campbell Thompson were re-elected to the town board, while N. A. Lawrence and J. M. Hasty will succeed Ed A. Gilbert and D. W. Sumy, who were not candidates for re-election.

In the school election at Arkoe, T. M. Jones and Fay Corrough were re-elected directors, and a 65-cent levy, the same as last year, was voted, 19 to 15.

Pickering Man Elected Twice.

Pickering has a problem to solve as a result of the election of W. A. Swaney as a school director to serve both one-year and three-year terms. The one-year vacancy was caused by the removal of Roy Wolfers, and there were two regular vacancies. Swaney received 35 votes for director for three years and 20 for director for one year. Leslie Hanna will be the other director for three years, he receiving 40 votes. Curt Hull received 32 votes for the three-year term and Art Wilson 17 for the one-year term. One of these probably will be made a director, as Swaney cannot fill two places. The retiring school board members are L. L. Hood and C. B. Reed.

The school levy of $1, the same as last year, was carried by the Pickering voters by a 56-13 margin.

At the town election, A. A. Ingles and Fay Florea were re-elected to the town board, and Joe Carmichael, F. M. Morin and John Young were elected as new members, succeeding T. J. Carmichael, William Killion and James Neal.

Eight Clearmont Candidates.

There were eight candidates for the town board at Clearmont. The successful candidates, with their votes, were: Al Stokes, 35; J. W. Smith, 30; W. A. Griffey, 32; O. H. Bancroft, 26; and W. P. Humphrey, 22. R. Lebonia, a defeated candidate, had 21 votes, and A. A. Livengood and Howard Garrett each had 16.

The school levy, totaling $1, carried by a vote of 52 to 11.

D. A. Wallace, with 52 votes, and John A. Burch, with 60, were elected school directors over Claud Skeed, with 35, and A. B. Stokes, 17. The retiring directors are Guy C. Clary and J. N. Billingsley.

The returns from some of the smaller communities follow:

Harmony Consolidated.

Levy of 65 cents carried unanimously, 37 to 0. Ned Garrett, with 36 votes, and E. E. Saunder, 37, elected directors to succeed G. H. Null and Victor Wray. At a meeting of the new board last night, B. K. Lewis was re-elected president and E. E. Saunders was made vice-president.

Wilcox Consolidated.

Dave Neidel re-elected to school board and R. P. Ferguson elected to succeed Ben Booher. No additional levy asked, probably will be 40 cents.

Proposal to permit Emmett Scott to withdraw from Wilcox Consolidated district and enter Garrett district defeated by vote of 92 to 1.

Bedison.

Levy of 45 cents carried. Bob Allen re-elected school director over Mrs. Gus Schaefer and Lee Barsball.

Clyde.

R. W. Graham re-elected as school director. No additional levy asked. Probably will remain at 20 cents.

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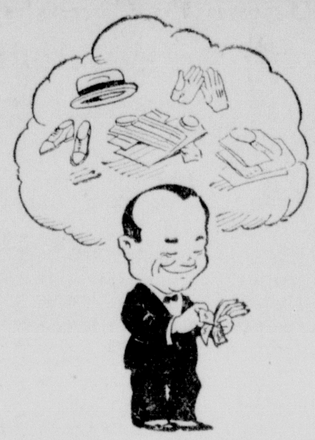

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Annual Report of Maryville Chamber of Commerce Shows Number of Worth-While Activities Sponsored During Year Just Closed

The following annual report of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce was prepared by D. A. Caldwell, secretary, and read by him at the annual meeting of the organization last night:

One of the first activities of the board of directors of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce for the year 1925-26 was to secure a full-time, experienced and trained secretary. After carefully considering a list of some thirty-five applicants, the present incumbent was chosen, and entered upon a year's contract June 1st.

During the period when there was no secretary, the membership shrunk to about ninety. Soon after June 1 the membership committee, with C. C. Hellmers as chairman started a silent campaign to secure renewals and new memberships. The committee was meeting with good success when Mr. Hellmers was promoted to a better position elsewhere, and his position as chairman was filled by Martin Lewis, Jr. Because of numerous vacations during the month of August, little was done then, and during September the Fall Festival called for the entire time of those who were working on the drive. While there are some prospects still to be seen, the committee is able to report at this time that the membership is now 135, an increase of 50 per cent during the past year. During 1926-27 it should be possible, with a very little more work to bring the membership up to 150.

A committee, headed by Joe Jackson, as chairman, did some good work in increasing the budget, adding $400 per annum to the income. Some increases are still in order as it was only by the strictest possible economy that the board was able to finance the operations for the past year, the income being barely adequate to cover the absolute necessities.

It is gratifying to report that during the past year there has been but one withdrawal among the members.

Dinners.

This annual dinner is the eleventh to be held during the year, with attendance ranging from fifty-five to 175. No deficit has been incurred with any of the dinners, rather an unusual record. The following dinners were held:

1. For Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers.
2. For Colvin Brown, Chief Organization Service Bureau, C. of C. of the U. S. of A., Washington, D. C.
3. Homer Croy.
4. Fire Prevention Day, attended by 25 members of the Mo. State Fire Prevention Ass'n.
5. Stunt Night (Men Only).
6. Annual Football Banquet.
7. Merchants, to discuss Fall Festival.
8. Manufacturers.
9. Band Fund.
10. Sure Grip Window Shade Co.
11. Annual Dinner.

A meeting was arranged at the courthouse at the request of the Missouri Farmers Association.

Directors Meetings.

Forty-four meetings of the Board of Directors have been held. Of these, thirty-five have been luncheon meetings, and nine special meetings. The attendance has been excellent, and is as follows for each member: C. Remus, 98 per cent; Dr. Jesse Miller, 93 per cent; R. Curfman, (filling out C. C. Hellmers's unexpired term) 86 per cent; F. C. Miller, 84 per cent; J. B. Cummins, 75 per cent; A. K. Frank, 75 per cent; L. M. Eek, 74 per cent; L. H. Evans, 74 per cent; and W. F. Phares, 43 per cent, (Mr. Phares has been out of the city a great deal). The Secretary has been present at all but one of the meetings, since he arrived, being absent when he went to Kansas City to attend the N. A. C. O. S. annual convention.

Tourist Park—W. F. Phares, Chm.

Through the energy of Mr. Remus, a phone booth was built and installed at the tourist park, which placed phone service at the disposal of the campers and those occupying the cottages at the Park.

$15 per month was paid during the summer to help defray the expenses of police protection. Other expenses included some plumbing that needed repair and wood. A register was provided for the visitors, and at the office free maps and tourist information were available for all who applied.

An incomplete check for 99 days during June, July and August showed that 300 parties, averaging 3 persons each, registered from 24 states.

With State Highway No. 27 becoming part of U. S. Highway 71 from the Gulf to the Canadian border, and with our camp by far the best one in this section of the state, it is certain each season will see the number of travelers who enjoy our hospitality at the Tourist Park, rapidly increasing.

This is the only advertising department which a city has that pays immediate returns.

Publicity.

Two illustrated stories were provided for the Kansas City Weekly Journal, and one for the Omaha Bee. The St. Louis Globe-Democrat made use of the information on file in the office in preparing the Nodaway County Story, which was part of their series of each County in the State.

Much credit is due the Democrat-Forum for the splendid manner in which the large amount of copy originating in our office was handled, and their part in the success of the year's work has been far from small.

An illustrated story about the College, which appeared in the Kansas City Illustrated World will be referred to later under "Co-operation With the College."

Four Maryville Programs have been broadcast from KSO, Clarinda, Ia., during each one of which the Secretary was privileged to give a 10-minute talk about the city and county.

An illustrated story about the work of this organizaion will soon appear in The Merchants Supplement to the Farm Journal, published in Philadelphia, and another story in The Motorist and Camper published in New York City.

Colvin Brown, in his bi-monthly News Letters made mention of the Fire Prevention Day Work, and the Fall Festival. This latter item has, to date, resulted in eight inquiries from as many states, which have been answered with a 2-page letter and pictures.

Clearing House Service, the monthly bulletin of the Wis. Ass'n. of Com. Sec'ys. (For two years edited by your Sec'y.), has frequently referred to the work of this organization, and NACOS NEWS, monthly bulletin of the National Sec'ys. Ass'n., has also given us publicity.

While attending the NACOS convention at Kansas City, the Secretary displayed pictures of the city and distributed Fall Festival blotters.

The Missouri Association monthly bulletin has referred to the activities of the Maryville Chamber.

Car Committee—Dick Strong, Chm.

Cars have been provided for the following events:

1. Rides about the city for Wabash R. R. Co., officials.
2. District K. P. Convention.
3. Annual District Teachers Convention.
4. Fall Outdoor Basketball Tournament.
5. District Basketball Tournament.
6. Transporting High School Band to Clarinda. (And Orchestra).
7. Transporting College Band to Clarinda.
8. Transporting Sweet Singers of Israel to Clarinda.
9. Members of Fire Prevention Ass'n. to make Inspection.
10. Colvin Brown to St. Joseph because of late train.

Solicitation Of Funds.

The total amount of money raised for various purposes during the past year has been considerably less than in several years past. The following solicitations have been made by the Chamber of Commerce:

1. Itasca Park Highway Fund: Howard Evans, Chm. Originally this was to have cost each contributor $5.00 per year for 3 years, but because of the highway being designated as U. S. Highway No. 71 and the alertness of the committee in taking advantage of this recent development, the cost to each of the 54 local firms and individuals who signed up for the three years was only $2.15.
2. Fall Festival: Chairman, A. K. Frank and Roy Curfman. $2,200.00 was raised as compared with about $3,800.00 in '24, or $1,600.00 less. $869.00 from shows.
3. Christmas Decorations and Santa Claus: A. K. Frank and Roy Curfman. Total cost $194.00. Supplies on hand in the form of wiring and colored lights, which cost $57.00, would permit of its repetition another year at a cost of $137.00.
5. Band Instrument Fund: Jim Todd, Chm., $1,000.00 was raised and turned over to the College for the purchase of the unusual instruments needed, to be used jointly with the High School Band and Orchestra.

Including the dues and budget subscribed to the Chamber of Commerce, the total amount raised by this organization during the past year was slightly in excess of $7,000.00, a surprisingly low figure considering the accomplishments.

Endorsement Committee. (Secret).

This committee, the membership of which is known only to the President and the Secretary, has investigated a number of requests for permission to solicit funds in Maryville, which have been refused on the ground that they were not worthy of local support. A blank form is filled out by all applicants and filed for the consideration of the committee. Unless a project has the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce from the town where it originates, no further consideration is given to the matter until such time as the endorsement is secured.

In a small number of cases permission has been given to solicit.

While one of the least evident in its activities of all of the committees, the Endorsement Committee is the best dividend producer which the organization has. There is no question but that through its silent activities, the people of this community saved many hundreds and thousands of dollars, probably enough to finance all of the other activities.

There are two reasons for this. One is that the investigation of the committee actually stops many worthless solicitations that try to work the town. The other, and equally important reason is, that when a town establishes a reputation as being hard to 'work,' many of the worst types of fakes avoid it and go where the picking is easier.

The committee is doing all that it can to protect the community. Unfortunately some members forget that there is such a committee and contribute to strangers before they refer the matter to the committee for investigation. When two or three have done this, the rest is easier for the stranger, and there is little that the committee can do to stop the solicitation, even though they know the proposition to be bad.

HELP MAKE 1926-27 A Banner Year By Giving This Committee Your 100 per cent Support In This Matter.

Employment, Rooms, Etc.

Partial records for the past year show that more than 300 applications for work have been received, and 1-3 as many requests for people to work. 165 rooms have been listed. No record is kept of those looking for rooms, although there is a considerable number.

Correspondence.

All letters addressed to the organization have been promptly answered, and as far as possible, the desired information given.

Lack of any suitable illustrated, printed matter, descriptive of the city and county, adds considerably to the heavy burden of correspondence, because many inquiries could be answered by merely mailing such booklet or folder, whereas at present a one or two page letter is required, and then it is often impossible to give all the information desired.

Representation At Meetings.

The organization was adequately represented at the County Bankers Association meeting held at the Country Club in August; by County Agent Fleetwood at the Missouri River Association meeting at Kansas City in October; and by the Secretary at the N. A. C. O. S. Convention at Kansas City in the same month. The Secretary attended the Missouri Secretarys' Association Convention at St. Louis in April, '25, but not as a representative of this organization.

Membership In Other Organizations.

The Maryville Chamber of Commerce carries a membership in each of the following organizations:

1. Nodaway County Farm Bureau, $5.00 per year.
2. The Missouri Association, $5.00 per year.
3. National Association of Commercial Organization Secretarys, $10.00 per year.
4. Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America, $20.00 per year.

Total annual membership fees, $40.00.

New Equipment.

The following new equipment has been added during the year:

1. New gold-leaf lettering put on front window.
2. Old typewriter traded in advantageously on a new Underwood.
3. Underwood Duplicating machine, not used during recent years, reconditioned by Secretary.

Fire Prevention Work.

Miss Virginia Rose, Chm: Co-operating with twenty-five members of the Missouri Fire Prevention Association, a thorough inspection of public and business buildings was held, prizes offered for home inspection blanks submitted by school children, a dinner attended by more than 100 men and women held, and fire prevention movies shown at the Empire Theater.

Fifty Fire Prevention Manuals were secured for the Pattonsburg Schools.

The Chairman filed a report of these activities with the C. of C. of the U. S. of A., thereby securing credit for us in the Inter-Chamber Fire Prevention Contest, in which this organization was entered several years ago.

Cemetery Road Fund.

J. B. Cummins, Chm: A fund of sufficient size to improve all of the roads leading to the various cemetaries was raised by popular subscription and the work will be completed this summer.

Chautauqua.

J. R. Lowry, Pres.: The Secretary assisted in the sale of tickets and was elected a director of the Association for the coming season.

Meetings of the Association were held at the office.

List of Students.

There is on file at the office at all times an accurate record of the students enrolled at the College, furnished through the courtesy of Mrs. Perrin, which is available to such of the members as wish to use it.

Other Meetings at Office.

Two meetings of the Board of Directors of the Country Club have been held at the office.

Co-operation With the College.

Throughout the year the Chamber of Commerce has co-operated with the College in the usual manner.

Cars and rooms were provided for the annual Spring contests.

For the annual Play Day during the summer session, seventy gallons of lemonade was made and served. As it happened to be the hottest day of the summer (104 in the shade), only an hour was required to consume this amount, which was then supplemented with ice water.

Cars were provided to meet the trains at the time of the annual District Teachers Convention, and also for the Fall Outdoor Basketball Tournament, at which time, the office also served as registration headquarters.

To Ed Gray, working for the Chamber of Commerce is due the credit for arranging with Station KFNF, Shenandoah, Ia., to broadcast, play-by-play, the championship football game against Springfield. This was done by phoning the messages and relaying them at the station. The College bore the expenses, and the Hanamo Phone Co. made the installation at the field.

For the first time, all of the stores closed during this game, which materially increased the attendance. Such 100 per cent support cannot help but aid in the development of championship teams.

Through the secretary, working with Mr. Cooper, six counties have agreed to offer three prizes totalling $30 for the annual Vitalized Agriculture Prize Note Book Contest, in which two capital prizes amount to $150.00 cash.

The annual football banquet was well attended and offered an opportunity to show the team and coaches the appreciation of the public for the excellent record for the season.

Under the direction of Jim Todd, a fund of $1,000 was raised and turned over to the College for the purchase of unusual instruments needed in the band and orchestra, to be jointly used with the high school.

At the time of the district basketball tournament, cars were provided to meet the trains, and the office was used as a registration headquarters.

Cars also were provided to transport the band to Clarinda, Ia., where a two-hour program was broadcasted from station KSO.

Co-operating with Mr. Seleeman, the secretary was able to secure an illustrated story about the College in the Kansas City Illustrated World.

The secretary was able to provide the Annual editor, with action pictures of all of the football games played at home.

The secretary spoke before one of the commercial classes.

Co-operation With the High School.

The secretary provided the Annual editor with action pictures of the football games played here.

Cars were provided to transport the band to Clarinda to broadcast a two-hour program.

Members of the football team attended the annual football tournament.

Members of the band and orchestra will benefit from the use of the instruments to be purchased with the fund raised for that purpose.

The secretary put on a musical program for a joint meeting of three literary societies and spoke before the Hi-Y Club.

Programs for Other Meetings.

Officers and members of the Chamber of Commerce have participated in eighteen meetiygs as follows:

I. Rural Schools and Churches: 8, Unity, Cottonwood, Martha Washington, Union Grove, Bedison, Maple Grove (church), and Mt. Tabor.

II. Community Clubs: 2, Herron (twice) and Rockford.

III. Other commercial organizations: 3, Ravenwood C. of C. (twice), Guilford Business Men's Ass'n.

IV. Sec'y. spoke at College Commercial Class, County Banker's Association, and appeared twice at the High School.

Credit is hereby acknowledged to Walter Allen of the High School for invaluable assistance in providing excellent talent whenever needed and to the following young ladies who have assisted in one or more programs: 1, Doris Wallace (3 times); 2, Nellie and Nettie Russell; 3, Miss Tebow; 4, Betty Seleeman; 5, Hildred Fitz.

No request for entertainment was refused, although weather and road conditions made it impossible to attend some meetings at the time originally set.

In the past 10 months the Secretary has appeared in public 20 times speaking to more than 1600 people. To this should be added 4 radio talks, the audience of which it is impossible to estimate.

Co-operating With the County Agent.

The annual Baby-Beef Show, held during the Fall Festival, called for $114 in prizes.

Half of the expenses of the County Agent to the Missouri River meeting at Kansas City were paid by the C. of C.

Pictures were taken at a ditch blasting demonstration south of the city.

The Chamber of Commerce carries a membership in the Farm Bureau.

Fall Festival.

L. M. Eek, Chairman.

Although the 1925 Fall Festival cost $1,600 less than the one for the year previous, it was pretty generally conceded to be the most successful of any held during the past three years. While the weather was far from ideal, it was so much better than that of the two weeks previous or three weeks after the Festival that the committee feels that it was indeed fortunate to get as good weather as it did. One reason why the cost was less was because $869 was derived from the contract with the Carnival Co.

If the present committee working on plans for a County Fair is able to bring such an event into being this year, there will be no need for a 1926 Fall Festival.

A complete, illustrated report of the Festival is a part of the permanent records at the office. A copy of this report was requested by Geo. Pickens, and is now on file in his office of the Missouri Association at Jefferson City.

Christmas Decorations and Santa Claus.

Considering the small cost, less than $200, without question one of the best investments in good will, which the business men of this city ever made was for the Christmas Trees placed at the street intersections, in the business district, and electrically lighted, and the Santa Claus welcome on Saturday afternoon. Although less than a week was required to put this over, it brought a record-breaking crowd to town, which soon used up the more than a quarter of a ton of candy provided for the children. With the wires and lights now on hand, this could be repeated next year for less than $150.

Harvey Haines, F. P. Reuillard and Jim Todd were the prime movers back of this activity.

Auto License Department.

Last year, about 6,000 people from 19 counties purchased $65,000 worth of state auto licenses at our office. Since Feb. 1st of this year, and including up to last night, 5127 people had purchased $57,837 in licenses from counties. Of this number 4,726 were for pleasure vehicles and 401 for trucks. This total is within less than 900 of last year's total, which included sales up to Dec. 1st, and indicates a decided increase in volume of business. With licenses becoming half price Aug. 1st, and quarter price Nov. 1st, it is probable that our 1926 sales will be in excess of 7,000 licenses. Sales continue till Dec. 1st, when all licenses are called in from all branch offices to be checked over by the state department.

In addition to the amount named above, the following other transactions are included in the daily operation of our motor vehicle registration department:

1. Applications for certificate of title, 785 (On new cars 249, Used cars 436.)	$785.00
2. Applications for duplicate certificate of title, 25	25.00
3. Transfer of number plates, 19	38.00
4. Trailer licenses, 6	27.39
5. Chauffeur's licenses, 11	33.00
6. Operator's licenses, 12	36.00
7. Motorcycle licenses, 2	7.50
Total	$951.89

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About 15 per cent of our total sales are to residents of Maryville, 70 per cent to residents of Nodaway County outside of Maryville, and the remaining 15 per cent to people from other counties. Of these, Atchison is by far the heaviest purchaser.

A state highway map is given with each pair of license plates, and every map we issued was stamped with our Maryville Chamber of Commerce stamp.

To date the total cost of this work exclusive of the salary of the Secretary and his assistant, has been $69.50, which includes extra help, advertising, notary public commission for the secretary, drayage on licenses, phone extension and supplies. During the rush days 3 and 4 people devoted their entire time to the work, so that no one had to stand in line very long.

The information which we are able to furnish the city and county officials is very helpful to them.

As far as is known this is the only Chamber of Commerce having such an office, and Maryville is the smallest city in the state having such service.

Coming Over

Tom Fernie famous English golfer will soon leave for America with Gordon Lockhart another British celebrity to compete in a series of matches. They will play in Boston, New York and several other large cities meeting some of the best players in this country. Fernie is shown above getting in shape for the invasion

Assistant Secretary.

A considerable portion of the credit for the success of the year's work is due to the Secretary having the co-operation of efficient assistant's. On January 1st, Miss Irene Tobin terminated more than 2 years of faithful service, and a few weeks later was succeeded by her sister, Miss Catherine Tobin, who is demonstrating her ability in a very pleasing manner.

Among the Nodaway County stockmen who were in St. Joseph yesterday were: C. A. Barmann, Arkoe; J. W. Headin, jr., Burlington Junction; and Harry Chambers, Hopkins.

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THESE WOMEN

by MALCOLM DUART

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

The town gossips of Springfield have speculated for 15 years about the origin and business of HARRY MORTON, rich, attractive, middle-aged bachelor, who dwells with his adopted daughter, AUDREY, in an expensive household in Springfield, and who maintains an apartment in Kansas City which he visits nearly every week.

A man, who Morton calls SMITH, and who claims to be Audrey's stepfather, appears after an absence of 18 years. Morton hurries him off to a job in South America.

NONA, a beautiful Kansas City girl who is in love with Morton, quarrels with LOIS, of whom she is jealous, and is in a rage at Morton. She asks Morton to call on her the next night. He finds a strange young woman there, apparently alone. A man rushes in, demands money. Morton laughs at

"I just wanted you for myself."

them; finds Nona hiding in the bedroom. She confesses that she planned the "badger" game. Morton starts to leave.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

(The names and situations in this story are fictitious).

CHAPTER VI.

Morton turned.

Nona was on her feet, now, holding to him with both hands. The other girl, still in her thin kimona, was picking up her fur coat. Her man companion, fidgeting uneasily, had retreated to the far corner of the room.

"You two prunes get out of here!" Nona cried, furiously, looking at the girl and the stranger.

Morton set down his walking stick, and took Nona's hands from his coat. He started to speak, but the young woman in the kimona interrupted, shrilly:

"Who told us to come up here? Who're you calling a prune?" She advanced toward Nona, her arms revolving in the air, and her fingers crooked as if prepared to scratch.

Nona crouched, and moved toward her with the motion of an animal about to spring. Morton noted her likeness to a black panther, with her sleek midnight hair, and blazing dark eyes. There was no time for contemplation however. The girls were within an instant of physical attack upon one another.

Morton was between them in one rapid stride. He thrust the strange girl back, and turned to Nona. "You sit down!" he said, quietly.

She looked at him, still blazing with wrath. Then obediently she sank into the arm-chair that Morton had occupied a few minutes before. She seemed shrink as she sat there, and her eyes gathered a look of fear as they rested upon Morton.

"I suppose your clothes are in that bedroom?" he asked the other girl.

She shook her head. She still was snarling, and casting vicious side-long glances at Nona. "I live upstairs," she said.

Morton stepped to one side, and waved his hand toward the door.

"Then take your coat, and your young man, and GO upstairs," he instructed her.

With the man tagging sheepishly at her heels, she obeyed, and Morton closed the door.

Going over to the piano stool, he sat down.

"Well?" he inquired.

Nona slipped off her chair to the floor, and on her knees she hitched her way across to where Morton was sitting. Clasping her hands as if she were praying, she lifted her white, drawn face.

"Oh, my God, Harry! For God's sake, forgive me! I didn't know what I was doing! You'll believe me, won't you? Won't you forgive me? Oh, Harry, Harry, Harry!"

Her voice choked until her words barely were distinguishable. Morton took her two hands in one of his, and raised her to her feet. He led her back across the room, and seated her in the chair she had just left. Then he returned to his own stool, and leaned back, his fingers clasped around his knees.

"Better tell me all about it," he suggested.

It was a little time before the girl could speak. At last, in halting sentences, she told him what had happened. Jealous of Lois, and of his light-hearted acceptance of Lois' company the night before, she had raged and wept all night, after he left her. In the morning a plan occurred to her.

"I wanted to get even with you!" she said. "I wanted to hurt you; to humiliate you."

Morton smiled quietly, as she went on.

"This girl you saw here lives a couple of floors above. She was busted—been borrowing money from the girls. She used to dance in a cabaret, with that fellow. He was her partner. But they haven't had an engagement for weeks and weeks and weeks. And I just thought that she would be glad to get a little money, and he's the sort of fellow that will try anything—once. Anyhow, they both said they'd be tickled to death to try it, and just before you came in, they were telling how they could use the money to go over to London and make a fresh start there. The cabarets are pretty punk, in London."

"Hmm," said Morton, and turning, strummed a bar or two, with one hand, on the piano. Then he swung back again, facing the girl.

"Did you really think that you could do anything to me with a scheme like that?"

Nona shook her head. "I didn't know. Maybe I thought so. I didn't know anything, I guess, except that I was so mad at you and Lois, and I wanted to hurt you. I wanted to hurt your pride." She crossed the room again, and once more knelt at his feet. "I—I love you so! That's why I did it."

A tremulous smile on her lips answered his quick laugh.

"Perhaps it was right to dissemble your love,

But why did you kick me downstairs," he quoted.

"I guess that when one is in love, they're kind of crazy anyhow," the girl said. "I know I was. I wanted those people to shame you, and make you give them money, and to see you just a little broken. And then, when you did come in, and they started, I wanted to kill them!"

She threw her arms around his knees, and two big tears coursed down her cheeks. "Oh, Harry! I didn't really want to hurt you! I just wanted you for myself."

Morton glanced at his wrist-watch, and the girl slowly unclasped his knees. Her eyes were questioning, and full of a plea for forgiveness. Morton arose briskly.

"I think I'll wander on back home," he said. She continued to look at him pleadingly.

He was at the door, when he paused. "By the way, that girl who tried this badger game on me didn't look any too well fed. Are she and that partner of hers really hard up?"

"Yes," Nona said dully.

"Is Miss Morton up?" Morton asked.

"I'll see, sir."

The butler went slowly into the stair-hall, and up the steps. Presently he returned.

"Miss Morton's maid says she is nearly dressed."

"Take word to Miss Morton not to come down stairs until I send for her," Morton ordered. "Tell her there will be someone here whom I do not wish her to meet. When you have done that, tell the woman downstairs that she may come up."

The butler went away upon his mission. A few minutes later, as Morton was taking his final sup of coffee, he reappeared.

"The lady is here," he said.

Morton nodded, and followed him.

As he went into the large room, there was the crinkle of a smile about his eyes. He betrayed no astonishment when he saw Nona, standing in the center of the room. The butler withdrew as Morton nodded cheerily.

"A little early for your morning calls," he said. "You'll find this chair comfortable."

"Don't treat me like that, Harry," she said earnestly. "I don't want to sit down. I haven't slept since you left me last night."

She looked it. There were deep dark circles under her eyes, and lines of fatigue had drawn themselves from her nostrils down past the corners of her mouth. She had used her lipstick and her rouge, but the effect was ghastly against the pallor that edged the carmine spots. There was a droop to her figure, too, an inexpressible weariness in her voice.

"I want you to forgive me, Harry," she said. "In the name of heaven, can't you forgive me? Don't be so cold to me! Don't keep that shell around you—you're killing me, Harry."

Half automatically, she obeyed his gesture, and took the chair he offered. Her eyes were not on him, now, but were fixed vacantly on the floor. She went on, her tone monotonous, as if all hope had been withdrawn from her.

"You don't understand what you're doing to me," she said. "You would not do it, if you did know. You aren't cruel, but you are being cruel to me."

Morton made a quick gesture. "I haven't said an unkind word, Nona," he said.

She nodded, slowly. "No, you haven't said anything unkind. I wish you had. I wish you had struck me—beaten me. "Oh, Harry—Harry! Don't you know that there is nothing so killing to a woman as indifference?" She held up her arms toward him. "Beat me! Do anything you want to! Anything in the world is better than to have you cold and hard like this."

Morton took one of her hands abruptly, gave it a single pat, dropped it, and began pacing the room, thoughtfully. She twisted herself until she could lay her arm across the back of the chair. Then she dropped her head upon her bent elbow, and sat there, quiet, and drooping. There was a long silence. Morton, walking up and down, glanced at her from time to time. She did not stir, but sat with the air of one who has been utterly defeated.

"Nona," he said at length. "You can't win a man's love, or hold it, by keeping him in hot water. Mighty few women know that. Most of them, I think, do the way you're doing. A man may be fond of a woman—even be in love with her. But if she is always exploding emotional dynamite under him, making scenes, and keeping him acutely uncomfortable, he is going to wander away."

She nodded, without replying, and without lifting her head from her arm.

He took another turn around the room. Then he resumed:

"I suppose there are men who will stand that sort of thing. I doubt if they are worth having, though. I don't believe the women even want them, after they get them.

"Nona, my dear," she said, slowly, pausing before her. "I am simply not going to permit any woman on earth to do the sort of thing to me that you have been trying to do the last day or so. You quarrel with my friends, and you lay a trap for me—a ridiculous one, I'll admit, but you intended it to be a trap. I understand what was in your mind, but your motive is beside the question, for the moment. A child might play with a box of matches, with the best of intentions, and set your house on fire. You understand his intentions, but you take matches away from him thereafter. I want you to—"

There was a stir on the balcony that ran across the end of the room, on a level with the second floor.

Morton looked up.

Audrey was standing there, looking intently at him, and at the girl who sat in the chair before him.

(To Be Continued)

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Harmony

(Community News).

The muddy roads interfered with the church services in both the Sunday School and church Sunday morning. The east and west roads are not passable for cars, and the consequence was that the congregation was small. The Easter program and exercises were postponed to the following Sunday, as it had been impossible to hold rehearsals during the week.

Alva Pride and family were in Maryville last Saturday.

Frank West, who has been quite ill from an infected carbuncle, went last week to Excelsior Springs for treatment.

The snow of last week played havoc with our good roads. It was easily the biggest snow we have had this winter and spring.

Cecil Brown had the misfortune to break the large bone of the right forearm while cranking a cantankerous Ford last week. It did not, however, keep him from his duties in the school room at Long Branch where he wields the birch.

Mrs. B. K. Lewis was on the sick list the first of the week.

Operation in the field and especially oat sowing stopped abruptly last week when the blizzard got into action.

Mrs. L. A. King, who has been at the home of her son Doyle since the birth of her grandson Bobby Neal, returned home the last of the week.

Robert Adams and wife, former residents of this neighborhood, visited at John Green's the first of last week.

Now let's all drag the roads.

(School Notes).

Only five absent the day of the big snow.

We contemplate having entries in both skiing and snow shoe events in the spring meet if this weather continues.

On account of the Easter holidays at the S. T. C., Miss Kibbe came out Thursday for instruction and orchestra rehearsal was held Friday, she then took a south bound train from Ravenwood expecting to spend the next few days at the home of her parents in Grant City.

Eliminations in our first Annual Grade Elocution contest took place at Excelsior, Champaign and Common Sense schools last week. The winners at Excelsior were Genie Neal and Burton Pride, at Champaign, Ellen Frances Edwards and Mildred Woodburn, and at Common Sense Retha Logan and Edwin Garrett. Neither Casteel or Pioneer has selected their contestants yet. The final contest will take place at the church Wednesday evening, April 7.

Mr. Ford was in Maryville on school business last Thursday.

The drive for the sale of our Annual is now on; a prize of $5.00 will be awarded the pupil selling the highest number. Mrs. Ford, who is Editor-in-Chief of the Annual, has general charge of the canvass.

Thelma Green, Leon Brown and Oval Porter are all feeding calves in the Baby Beef Club. The work must be done according to regulation, after April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford and Howard Edwards, acted as judges in the preliminary contest at Casteel, Monday, and Halley Ford acted as sole judge in same event at Pioneer later the same day.

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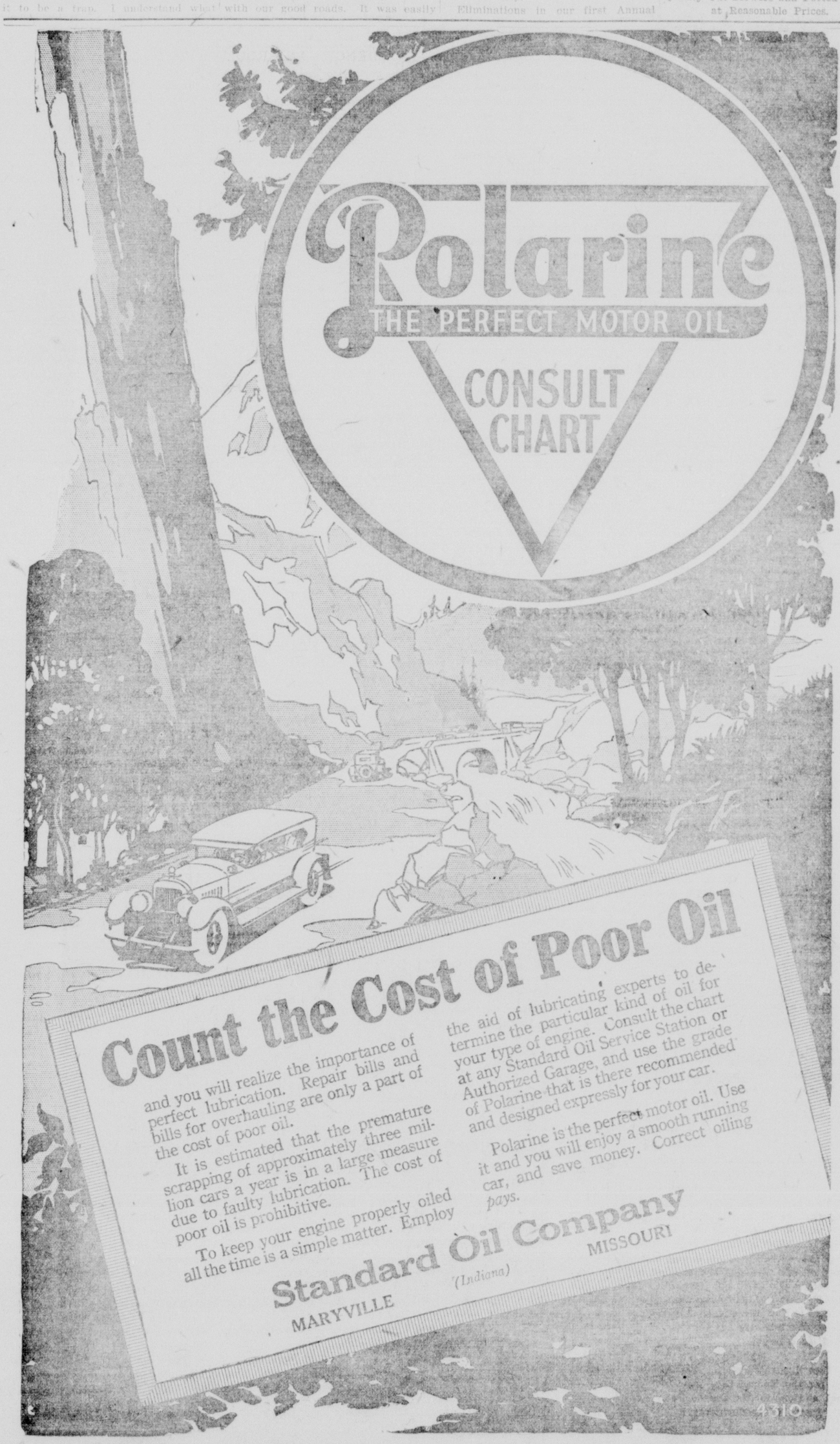
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FOR SALE—About 40 nice thrifty stock hogs; weight about 140.—John Graves, Farmers 7-6-12.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow.—1402 East First Street, Phone 3726.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

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FOR RENT—Two modern rooms furnished for light housekeeping at 716 East 1st Street; also garage.—Inquire this office.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders; close in.—Mrs. Nellie Hagan, 223 East 3rd.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping if desired.—816 North Walnut.

WANTED TO RENT 44

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping by May 1. Must be modern; West Side preferred; young couple.—Write "A" Democrat-Forum. Do not phone.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR RENT—House suitable for two families. Immediate possession.—A. K. Frank.

QUITMAN NEWS.

The Young Peoples Council of the M. E. Church held a Sunrise Prayer Service Easter mornin. The meeting was well attended and several short talks were made, which were very interesting. At 11 a. m. the Sunday School scholars gave an Easter program consisting of songs, reading and exercises. There was a good attendance at Church Easter night, with two conversions. The meeting will continue over Sunday. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. A. C. Parshal is quite sick.

Mrs. Earl McDonald is able to be out again.

Mrs. Mary Roney is better and is able to be out.

Russel Bilby went to Kansas City Monday.

Beulah Brunk spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Hoyt.

Miss Wilma Logan visited Thursday and Friday in Biglow.

Read the Want Ads.

Can the Philippines Be Freed?

Natives Regard Independence As Inalienable Moral Right, Americons As Road To Chaos.

By MILES W. VAUGHN

Manila, April 7—What does the United States intend to do with the Philippines? This question is being asked with increasing insistence throughout the East. There seems a very general recognition of the need for an early answer.

If the islands are to be granted full and unconditional independence, when should it be done? If economic development of this rich archipelago is to go forward rapidly what political measures are necessary.

One hears these questions throughout the East but one does not hear a satisfactory answer. Clear thinking men admit the problem is one of considerable difficulty. They will set forth what they consider the general facts of the case, and possibly offer a qualified opinion, but they will not counsel hasty action.

The general facts are outlined something as follows:

The Philippines comprise a rich tropic archipelago off the coast of China with a population of some 11,000,000 people of Malay extraction but of mixed blood, and different customs, religion, and language. There are 43 ethnographic groups of tribes in the Islands, according to the report of the Special Mission to the Philippines in 1921 and they speak 87 different dialects. The United States has controlled the Islands for roughly a quarter of a century. A rich commerce principally with America has grown up. English has been introduced in thousands of schools established under American direction and is becoming the common language between the tribes. American influence is apparent everywhere. The people like American movies, jazz music, schools, social customs and raiment. They take rapidly to all the characteristics of American culture and civilization.

American rule was through a military government from 1898 to 1901, through the Philippine Commission from 1901 to 1907, through the Philippine Commission with an American majority and an Assembly from 1913 to 1916 and through a Senate and Assembly elected by the Filipinos, under the Jones Bill, from 1916 to the present. The American governor general is the executive head of the Islands with power to veto legislation of the Filipino Congress.

This briefly, is the background at present with the Filipinos demanding full and unconditional independence. Arguments for independence may be summarized as follows:

The Filipinos have a right to be free, they desire independence and the United States is under moral obligation to grant it, they have established a stable government with the understanding that is the only condition required by the American congress for the granting of full sovereignty to the Islanders and they have demonstrated their capacity for self government.

The American reply to these arguments usually is something like this:

Granted that Filipinos have a right to be free, they now have a much larger degree of freedom under American protection than they possibly could have if that protection were removed. Their taxes are low and they do not have to keep up a large military and naval establishment, a diplomatic service and all the expensive accourtrements of a separate nation. The question of freedom, has been demonstrated abundantly since the World War, involves much more than the rights of a single group. It involves such delicate questions as the balance of power in the Orient and the maintenance of peace in the Pacific.

Granted that a majority of Filipinos feel they desire independence, but do the great mass of the people appreciate the tremendous responsibilities a small and comparatively weak nation such as Philippines Republic, would have to assume?

Granted the United States is under a moral obligation to give independence eventually, but really she has an equal moral obligation to the world not to withdraw voluntarily from the Islands until she is certain the Filipino people are able to stand sturdily alone.

Americans generally will not admit there is any justification for the final Filipino arguments that Filipinos have established a stable government and demonstrated their capacity to stand alone. The Americans cite scores of arguments to show these assertions are not true.

With this general attitude prevailing in the Islands the Filipinos are trying new plans to force granting of their demands. Under guidance of Manuel Quezon, president of the senate and recognized leader of the Nationalists, they have formed a "National Supreme Council" to effect a coalition of all groups in a "fight for freedom." Manuel Roxas, speaker of the Assembly, has publicity advocated a boycott of American merchants, "who are known to be taking an active part in the campaign against independence."

In the Islands the tendency has been to crystalize sentiment around two men, Quezon as leader of the Filipino independence cause, and Leonard Wood as the governor general and appointed representative of American rule. The views of these two men are set forth in succeeding articles.

QUITMAN NEWS.

Will McDonald has blood poison in his foot, but is reported better at this writting.

Miss Mary Neely spent Easter with home folks.

Mrs. Job Williams is quite sick.

Mrs. Ruth Johnson and Miss Mary Bailey were Burlington Junction callers Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Dean left Saturday for Clarinda, to see her sister.

Halbert Bailey went to St. Joseph Friday.

Tom Montgomery is moving into the Grand-pa Bailey property.

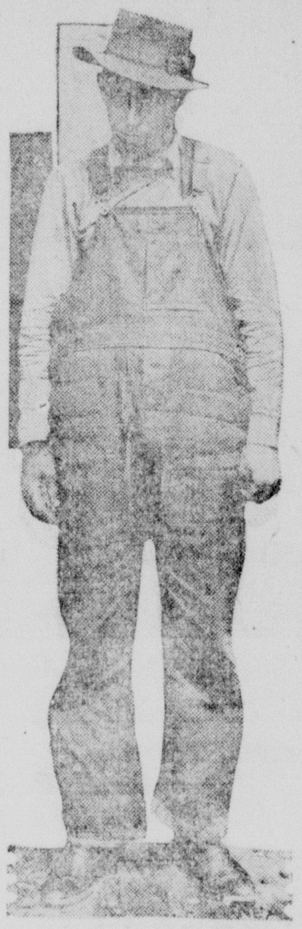
Mr. Bilby is having sand and gravel hauled for the new bank. It is to be a concrete building with front of nigger-head rocks.

LITTLE BRICK.

Lucy Johnson enrolled in our school Monday. She is in the first grade.

Madeline Younger and Vilas Walker had perfect spelling records for the month of March.

Killed Child



Andy Farris, 28, Union county (Tenn.) farmer, must die in the electric chair for beating to death his seven-year-old nephew, McHenry Bobbie Hill, with a strap. He was convicted by a jury of mountaineer farmers.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 6,000; market steady to 15c lower.
Top, $12.75; bulk, $11.10 to $12.40.

Cattle

Receipts 1,800; market steady to weak.
Bulk of steers, $8 to $9.10.
Top, $9.50.
Cows and heifers, $3.50 to $9.50.
Stockers and feeders, $6.25 to $8.50.

Sheep

Receipts 4,800; market slow.
Lambs, $12 to $13.
Ewes, $8 to $9.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

Cattle

Receipts 2,000; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 9,500; market 15c to 25c up.

Sheep

Receipts 750; market strong to 25c up.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle

Receipts 6,500; market steady; weak.

Hogs

Receipts 11,000; market 10c to 15c up.

Sheep

Receipts 5,000; market steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs

Receipts 12,000; market 10c to 25c up.

Cattle

Receipts 7,000; market uneven; about steady.

Sheep

Receipts 11,000; market steady to strong.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

Hogs

Receipts 7,000; market 15c to 25c lower; bulk $11 to $12.50.
Heavies $10.85 to $11.60.
Butchers $11.75 to $12.75.
Lights $12.50 to $13.00.
Pigs $13 to $14.

Cattle

Receipts 6,500; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $9.50 to $10.
Dressed beef steers $7.75 to $9.50.
Western steers $8 to $9.50.
Southern steers $7 to $9.25.
Cows $3.50 to $7.75.
Heifers $5.50 to $9.50.
Stockers and feeders $6.50 to $9.25.
Bulls $4.25 to $6.25.
Calves $5.50 to $10.50.

Sheep

Receipts 9,000; market slow.
Spring lambs $14 to $15.50.
Yearlings $9.50 to $10.25.
Ewes $7.50 to $8.75.
Wethers $8.50 to $9.50.
Stockers and feeders $12.25 to $12.50.

Chicago Grain Table.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Old				
May	$1.56⅞	$1.57	$1.55½	$1.57
New				
May	$1.57⅞	$1.58¼	$1.56½	$1.58
July	$1.36	$1.36¼	$1.34⅞	$1.36⅛
Sept.	$1.31	$1.31⅜	$1.30¼	$1.31¼
CORN—				
May	$ .71⅛	$ .72½	$ .70⅞	$ .72⅜
July	$ .75⅛	$ .76½	$ .75	$ .76⅜
Sept.	$ .77¼	$ .78⅝	$ .77⅛	$ .77⅝

Chicago Cash Grain

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.59½ to $1.63½.
CORN—No. 3 yellow, 68¾c to 69½c; No. 4 yellow, 63c to 67¼c; No. 3 mixed, 67¼c; No. 4 mixed, 62½c to 65½c; No. 2 white, 65½c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 42¼c to 42½c; No. 3 white, 41¾c to 42¼c.
HAY—Timothy, $6 to $7; clover, $28 to $32.
BARLEY—68c to 71c.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce

WHEAT—Receipts 17 cars; hard unchanged; red unchanged; No. 2 hard, $1.53 to $1.62½; No. 3 hard, $1.51 to $1.58; No. 2 red, $1.60 to $1.61; No. 3 red, $1.56 to $1.59.
CORN—Receipts 14 cars; market unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 66c to 65½c; No. 3 mixed, 62c to 65c; No. 2 yellow, 67½c to 68c; No. 2 white, 66½c to 67c.
OATS—Receipts 7 cars; market unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 white, 41c to 42½c.
RYE—No. 2, 80c.
HAY—Prairie, choice, $13 to $14; timothy, No. 1, $20.50 to $21; alfalfa, choice, $24 to $25.
Eggs, 27c; selected, 32c to 33c.
Butter, 42c to 43c; packing, 25c.
Hens, 27c; turkeys and young toms, 34c; broilers, 43c; ducks, 31c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, April 7.—Grain prices closed higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

The wheat market was a very tame affair today but prices averaged and closed fractionally higher than yesterday's final figures. Foreign markets were not much changed while the export business remained slack. Crop conditions reports from the Southwest continued optimistic while dispatches from the Northwest stated there was no need for worry about that area inasmuch as there is plenty of time for seeding of spring wheat. Trade in the Chicago pit was dull and the market devoid of features. The undertone retained most of the strength instituted with the beginning of the present movement.

Corn closed sharply above yesterday's final levels in all deliveries. Farm surpluses and decrease in commercial demand failed to keep this grain from recording marked advanced.

Oats, despite a comparatively dull market, closed fractionally higher all along the line. There was no news of any consequence to affect the market any way and the higher close was due to the most part to the natural strength of the undertone of this grain.

Provisions closed higher.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per doz.	24c
Cream, per lb.	38c
Heavy Hens, per lb.	23c
Light Hens, per lb.	16c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c
Cocks, per lb.	10c
Ducks, per lb	15c

Little Brick

Mrs. Alfred Gibb of Tarkio who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Lester Crane spent Friday at our school. She made an interesting talk about the new capitol building at Jefferson City. She also told us about the state prison.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY
7:45. Matinee Saturday 2:30.

COLLEGE
Admission 25c and 50c. Reserved seats for Thursday and Friday night at Kuchs Bros.

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LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Come On, You Eight

I'LL BE BACK IN A LITTLE WHILE, MRS. SANDSTONE-
WHAT'S THAT, ANNIE? OH, YES - YES - ALL RIGHT-
MY- MY- MY - BILLS - BILLS - BILLS - HERE'S ANOTHER STATEMENT FROM THAT MILLINER - WILL THE EIGHTH NEVER COME? I CERTAINLY HOPE MR. WARBUCKS SENDS A GENEROUS CHECK THIS TIME-
NOW WHO CAN THAT BE?
RR-R-R-R
ER- ER- OH YES - OH, I'M SO SORRY - DIDN'T YOU GET YOUR CHECK? WHY I WAS SURE I SENT IT - YES - YES - I KNOW I PROMISED - YOU'LL GET IT VERY SOON NOW - NO - NO - I WON'T FORGET - - (THAT IMPERTINENT SHOP-KEEPER - HOW CAN I PAY HIM TILL I GET THE MONEY?)
HAROLD GRAY'S

GIRL SCOUTS OFF TO CAMP

TWO HUNDRED YOUNG WOMEN EXPECTED AT IRONDALE.

IS TRAINING SCHOOL

Will Be Followed by National Convention at St. Louis—Mrs. Herbert Hoover To Attend.

Irondale, Mo., April 6—United Press—Two hundred Girl Scouts, leaders from all parts of the United States will come here on next Saturday for a week's training camp which will precede the national convention of the Girl Scouts at St. Louis.

For a week Girl Scout leaders, ranging in age from 18 to 80, will live in the open, doing all their own cooking over the open fire. They will occupy the camp of the St. Louis Council of Boy Scouts, which has been lent to them free of charge.

A special train will bring a majority of the leaders here from St. Louis at 1:45. They will return on Tuesday, April 20, in time for the opening of the national convention.

Every form of camp life and nature study will be demonstrated during the week's stay here. All the ordinary requirements of milady are to be left behind according to instructions already issued.

"Come with warm hearts and warm blankets," national heads have instructed in a bulletin sent to all who are to attend the training week. "Please leave all trunks in St. Louis," is another emphatic direction.

During their stay here the Scout leaders are to be allowed only the simplest necessities. They will wear the Girl Scout officer's uniform when they arrive and during the training week will wear the "Long Bond" camp uniform. Knickerbockers are forbidden, according to instructions.

Among the national leaders who will brave the uncertainties of a Missouri spring is Mrs. Herbert Hoover, wife of the secretary of commerce, a vice president of the organization and long active in its affairs. She will be a member of the Chaparral Troop. In this troop there will be a central place for cooking, but each patrol will take its turn in the preparation of meals.

The lone man in the camp of 200 women will be Fay Welch, a forester, of Sandy Creek, N. Y., who will instruct the Scouts in forest lore. He will be a member of Innisfree Troop in which each patrol will have its own fire place and will do its own cooking and carry on other outdoor patrol activities. This is the English method of camp life.

Modernist Pastor Wins at Clarence

Fundamentalism Defeated In Town's Mayoralty Election Held Yesterday.

Clarence, Mo., April 7.—Liberalism triumphed over fundamentalism in Clarence's mayoralty election yesterday when J. C. Maupin, former Baptist preacher, whose stand on Biblical interpretations had been made an issue defeated L. J. Peterman by a majority of 110 votes.

The final vote, as tabulated showed Maupin with 365 and his opponent with 255.

The campaign for the office which preceded yesterday's election, had stirred this little Shelby county town since the religious issue was raised because of Maupin's defense in 1922 of the liberal views of Dr. A. Wakefield Staten, who was ousted from the faculty of William Jewell College at Liberty, Mo., for what was termed too liberal terms in his book "What Jesus Taught." Maupin led members of the student body which demanded Staten's retention.

When this issue was raised on him in the mayoralty campaign, Maupin reiterated his support of Dr. Staten and his views in liberally interpreting certain sections of the Bible. As an opponent, the fundamentalists rallied about L. J. Peterman, a retired farmer, and the contest attracted considerable attention. Both candidates received numerous letters and telegrams from leaders of fundamentalism and liberalism in all parts of the nation.

The religious discussion was injected into the campaign without authority of either candidate, it is said, but it caused a great deal of comment and many were of the opinion that Maupin might be defeated because of it. Maupin stood by his guns, answering all questions concerning religion frankly, but insisting that the issue was one of good government.

Peterman also declared that religion was not an issue in the campaign as far as he was concerned. He said he believed strictly in the Bible, "every word of it," and that his belief was the same as that expressed by the late William Jennings Bryan at the Dayton evolution trial.

In explaining his religious views, Maupin said, "as we look at it, Jesus Christ is better understood and means more to us when the story is stripped of those things which do not appeal to our practical common sense and study and is worshipped as a real man rather than as a mystical character."

That 3:75 Tonic

Is it a beverage? No, it's a tonic—according to the taste. Fred Pabst, head of the Pabst Brewery Corp., (right), samples a glass of the 3.75 malt extract that his firm has been permitted to sell, while Dr. A. J. Scheidler, chief chemist of the corporation, helps him try it.

2,500 to Take Part in Annual Drake Relays

Feature of Event at Des Moines to Be A Pole Vaulting Exhibition by Charley Hoff.

Des Moines, Ia., April 7.—With sixteen more days left until the seventeenth annual Drake University relay carnival, entry blanks from colleges and universities all over the middle and southwest are pouring in to Coach Ossie Solem, director of the relays, who says that 2,500 or more athletes will take part in the events this year.

High school entries from Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and many other states are swelling the entry list of that department to most unusual proportions, Solem said.

One of the features of the carnival this year will be a special exhibition of pole vaulting by Charley Hoff, Norway sensation, who recently established new world records in that event in three consecutive meets.

Burl. Junct. Boy Wins Radio Contest

Fred E. Boyer of Burlington Junction won second place in the contest held by KFNF, Shenandoah, March 26 and 27, for the best individual paper from high school students. Mrs. Laurence Nicholson of Hopkins took first in the contest for the best paper from any one not in school.

Phyllis Jean Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Moore of Pickering announce the birth of a daughter, this morning, to whom they have given the name Phyllis Jean. Mrs. Moore was the former Miss Mildred Bosch.

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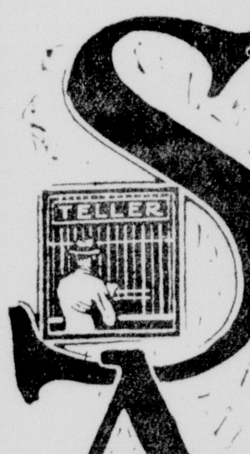

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St. Joseph Honors Hillyard Yesterday

Louis V. Stigall Elected Mayor by a Big Vote—Democratic Ticket Successful.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 7.—N. S. "Pop" Hillyard, sponsor of the Hillyards, national A. A. U. basket ball champions, put forward as a last-minute-write-in candidate for the school board, scored a sweeping victory yesterday polling a substantial majority over the combined totals of his two opponents. His vote was 10,206. O. A. Zollinger was second high man with 5,095 with D. T. Aitchison trailing with 4,497.

Louis V. Stigall, Democratic candidate for mayor, was swept into office by a plurality of 3,021 votes over his Republican opponent, George E. McIninch.

Final returns from the 62 precincts in the city, gave:

Stigall, 7,735.

McIninch, 4,714.

Repeal of the civic center ordinances was defeated by a safe margin. The vote on the ordinance to repeal S. O. No. 9227 was: 8,969 against; 7,124 for. The vote on the ordinance to repeal S. O. No. 9228 was: 7,929 against, 6,484 for.

George G. Starmer, Citizen's candidate for mayor, polled 3,088 votes. John Albus got 876.

Smith Penny, Democrat, defeated Frank Allen, Republican, for re-election as city treasurer by a margin of only 15 votes.

Tom Foster, Republican, was re-elected city auditor by 187 votes over George Knight, Democrat.

Three Democratic councilmen—Ernest Buehler, Waldo Byers and A. H. Holkenbring—were elected on the ticket with Stigall. Cap. B. F. Watson, Democrat, was elected police judge over Judge W. T. Gray, Republican, by 1,467.

Poultry Assn. Meets Saturday.

The Nodaway County Poultry Association will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Farm Bureau office, Judge J. H. Sayler announced today.

Just arrived—Car Royalton, Franklin County Lump Coal.—Wm. Everhart.—Advertisement.

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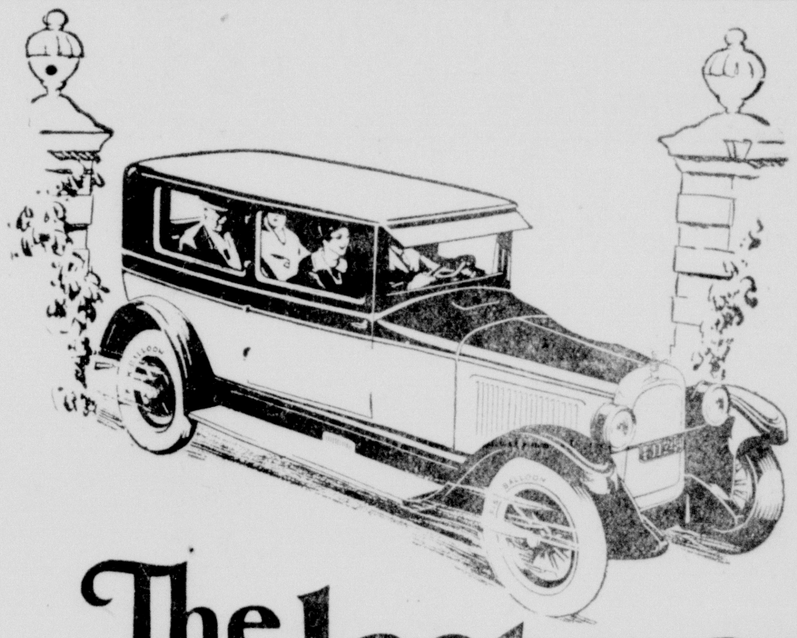
Admission—Adults 40c. Children 20c.

SATURDAY, April 10—Percy Marmont, Mary Brian and Neil Hamilton in "THE STREET OF FORGOTTEN MEN."



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